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RJ:

Please find attached a copy of the invite letter for Administrator Pruitt to speak at our November Board meeting.

Let me know if you have any questions. Thank you, Bryan

Bryan Zumwalt | American Chemistry Council

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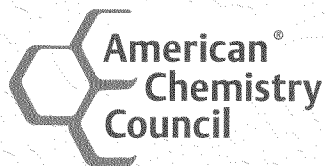
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August 10, 2017

The Honorable Scott Pruitt  
Administrator of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue NW  
Washington, DC 20460

Dear Administrator Pruitt:

I am very pleased to invite you to be the speaker at the American Chemistry Council's (ACC) Board of Directors meeting on Thursday, November 10, 2017 between 8:00 am and 12:00 pm at The Sanctuary in Kiawah Island, South Carolina. As Administrator of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, your insights will be of great interest to our Board members.

As you may be aware, the business of chemistry is a \$768 billion enterprise that employs 811,000 people nationwide in good-paying American jobs. As the second largest producer, the industry provides over 15% of the world's chemicals and directly touches more than 96% of all manufactured goods. ACC represents 150 leading companies in the business of chemistry – from large corporations such as Dow and ExxonMobil Chemical Company to numerous smaller companies providing critical products and materials to every aspect of the U.S. economy.

Ideally, you would speak on your 2017 priorities for the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, and any other topics you believe will be of interest to our members. We've reserved 15 to 20 minutes for you to speak, and 10 minutes for questions and answers.

The Council's Board of Directors includes 52 CEOs and other top executives from our membership. Other member company staff, including Washington representatives, will also attend. We expect approximately 80 persons in total.

Please contact me at (202) 249-6200 or [Bryan\\_Zumwalt@americanchemistry.com](mailto:Bryan_Zumwalt@americanchemistry.com) if you have any questions. Thank you for your consideration. I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Bryan Zumwalt", written over a horizontal line.

Bryan Zumwalt



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## Driving the Day

**Good Sunday morning. WHAT EVERYONE IS TALKING ABOUT -- TRUMP'S SUNDAY MORNING THOUGHTS -- @realDonaldTrump** at 6:44 a.m.: "If NFL fans refuse to go to games until players stop disrespecting our Flag & Country, you will see change take place fast. Fire or suspend!" ... **at 7:13 a.m.:** "...NFL attendance and ratings are WAY DOWN. Boring games yes, but many stay away because they love our country. League should back U.S."

-- **@RyanLizza:** "Goes to sleep threatening nuclear war. Wakes up suggesting boycott of NFL."

-- **THE FIRST NFL GAME TODAY: "Jaguars and Ravens players kneel during national anthem, Baltimore owner supportive of demonstration,"** by N.Y. Daily News' Zachary Ripple: "Jaguars owner Shad Khan, the only minority owner in the NFL, also made a definitive statement, locking arms with his players during the anthem. Khan is one of several league owners to have contributed \$1 million to Trump's inaugural committee. Ravens coach John Harbaugh was also on the sidelines locking arms with his players during the national anthem. ... Following the performance of the U.S. anthem, every player responded by standing during the performance of 'God Save the Queen.'" <http://nydn.us/2fqus8p>

-- **@BenSasse:** "NFL players: You have the right to protest Trump tmrw. But aren't there better ways than kneeling before the flag soldiers died to defend?" ... **@Patriots:** "Statement from #Patriots Chairman & CEO Robert Kraft" -- the first sentence: "I am deeply disappointed by the tone of the comments made by the President on Friday." <http://bit.ly/2fpP8xn>

**N.Y. POST COVER -- "Trump trades blows with NBA, NFL ... JOCK SCRAP"**

<http://nyp.st/2wey0O2>

**SUNDAY BEST -- MARTHA RADDATZ** talks with **STEVEN MNUCHIN** on **ABC'S**

**"THIS WEEK" -- RADDATZ:** "With all the urgent issues -- Korea, healthcare, why is the president etch talking about NFL players and disinviting NBA players to the White House?" **MNUCHIN :** "You know, the NFL has all different types of rules -- you can't have stickers on your helmet. You have to have your jerseys tucked in. I think what the president is saying is that the owners should have a rule that players should have to stand in respect for the national anthem. This isn't about Democrats, it's not about Republicans, it's not about race, it's not about free speech. They can do free speech on their own time, that this is about respect for the military and the first responders and the country."

**RADDATZ:** "The president is calling them SOBs. Is that the kind of language, no matter how you feel about the issue, that he should be using?" **MNUCHIN:** "I think the president can use whatever language he wants to use."

-- **JOHN DICKERSON** talks with **NRSC CHAIRMAN CORY GARDNER (R-COLO.)** on **CBS's "FACE THE NATION":** **DICKERSON:** "You spoke out about the president's tepid reaction to the violence in Charlottesville. The president has now stepped into the middle of the controversy about the NFL. I just wonder what you make of his remarks this week." **GARDNER:** "Look, I made it very clear in the aftermath of Charlottesville that there is no room in this country for hate, that the KKK, Neo-Nazis, white supremacist groups are hateful, that there's no room for them, and we must call evil by its name. And that is the KKK, Neo-Nazis, and white supremacists. When it comes to this recent spat with the NFL, look, there are far more important things that we ought to be focusing on. You've mentioned them. North Korea, Iran, concern about the health care bill. That's what I'm going to continue to focus on, making sure that we take care of this country's needs in a way that people know they're better off."

**DEVIL'S ADVOCATE ALERT, HEALTH CARE EDITION... BUT WE'RE STILL**

**SKEPTICAL --** Some Senate Republicans think the Graham-Cassidy bill is still very much alive. These senior GOP aides say if they get the bill onto the floor, they can address some senators' concerns in the debate process. Others say the bill will be refined in the coming days to address problems. We're a bit skeptical, since many of the concerns that have been expressed are fundamental -- for example, Sen. John McCain (R-Ariz.) says he wants a months-long process. Sen. Rand Paul (R-Ky.) continues to be a hard no. And it's unclear how Sens. Lisa Murkowski (R-Alaska) and Susan Collins (R-Maine) get to yes. But anything can happen these days, so we thought we'd flag for you.

**WHAT YOU SHOULD BE THINKING ABOUT:** If the Senate does pass something, the House will have to turn around and pass it without making any changes to the bill. That's tricky for the unruly chamber. They come into session Monday night and leave Thursday.



**MORE SUNDAY BEST -- JAKE TAPPER** talks to **SEN. SUSAN COLLINS (R-MAINE)** on **CNN's "STATE OF THE UNION"**: **TAPPER**: "Your vote is pivotal on the Graham-Cassidy health care bill. Where are you? Yes or no?" **COLLINS**: "Jake, it's very difficult for me to envision a scenario -- scenario where I would end up voting for this bill. I have a number of serious reservations about it. I'm concerned about the impact on the Medicaid program, which has been on the books for more than 50 years and provides healthcare to our most vulnerable citizens, including disabled children and low-income seniors."

**"I'm concerned about the impact on costs and coverage.** We already have a problem under the Affordable Care Act with the cost of premiums and deductibles. And, finally, I'm very concerned about the erosion of protections for people with preexisting conditions, like asthma, arthritis, cancer, diabetes, and what it would mean to them."

**-- CHUCK TODD** talks to **SEN. RAND PAUL (R-Ky.)** on **NBC's "MEET THE PRESS"**: **TODD**: "All right, senator, in the president's words, are you going to come around?" **PAUL**: "Well, I've always been a yes for a repeal. But the bill, unfortunately, the Graham-Cassidy bill basically keeps most of the Obamacare spending, almost all of the spending, and just reshuffles and block grants it to the states. So, block granting Obamacare doesn't make it go away. It just means you're keeping all the money we've spending through Obamacare, most of it; reshuffling it; taking the money from Democrat states and giving it to Republican states. I think what it sets up is a perpetual food fight over the formula."

**TODD**: "If you cannot accept the block-grant concept, then there is no way you'll ever support this bill. Is that fair to say? Because that's the centerpiece of this bill." **PAUL**: "Well, they could remove the block grants from it. And then, we could vote on what we actually all agree on."

**HEADS UP**: The Federal Aviation Administration's authority runs out at the end of the week. Congress also has to deal with that this week.

**-- @seungminkim**: "! @LindseyGrahamSC on him, RonJohn: 'We're not going to vote for a budget resolution that doesn't allow the health care debate to continue.'" **NOTE**: Coupling health-care repeal and tax reform is plausible, but would be incredibly difficult. It also means Republicans would be continuing to work on health care into 2018.

**-- WAPO's DAVE WEIGEL** and **SEAN SULLIVAN**, with an **IOWA CITY** dateline: **"Graham is 'pressing on' with the health-care bill. Other GOP senators signal they're moving on"**: "Sen. Joni Ernst (R-Iowa) looked out at hundreds of Democrats crowded into a tense town hall meeting Friday afternoon and told them that they'd won. Just an hour earlier, Sen. John McCain (R-Ariz.) had come out against the GOP's latest attempt to repeal the Affordable Care Act on partisan terms."

**"I hope that Lamar and Patty can come back again together,** hopefully next week," said Ernst, referring to Sen. Lamar Alexander (R-Tenn.) and Sen. Patty Murray (D-

Wash.), who had been working on a bipartisan bill to stabilize the ACA. 'We can pick back up and try again.' ...

**"Republican Senate aides have hinted in recent days** at the possibility that new language in the bill might be released at some point. On Saturday, Health and Human Services Secretary Tom Price said in an interview on Fox News that Republicans were 'refining' the legislation. Still, there are no clear resolutions to the problems facing Trump and Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell (R-Ky.): Time and diminishing support."  
<http://wapo.st/2xBnG6h>

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**RUBBER MEETS THE ROAD -- AP'S STEVE PEOPLES in WESTFIELD, NEW JERSEY: "Vulnerable N.J. Republican navigates messy Trump era politics":** "This is not President Donald Trump's dinner party. Republican Rep. Leonard Lance, standing in the middle of Ferraro's dimly lit restaurant dining room, says it's not necessary to build a wall along the entire U.S. border with Mexico. He raises concerns about the White House's promised tax overhaul. And he condemns the brash personalities that have come to define the GOP in the age of Trump.

**"His personality and mine are vastly different.** I'm comfortable with my personality,' Lance says as 19 men gathered for a private meeting of the Republican National Lawyers Association pick through their salads. ...

**"I will support him where I agree with him** and I will not support him where I disagree with him,' Lance told The Associated Press in an interview inside his Westfield office, where the only photograph on the wall features Lance alongside former presidential nominee Mitt Romney, who once personified the 'Never-Trump' movement."  
<http://bit.ly/2jU5teZ>

**TRUMP'S WEEK -- Monday:** Lunch with VP Mike Pence and dinner with grassroots leaders ... **Tuesday:** President of Spain comes to D.C. ... **Wednesday:** Trip to Indiana to speak about tax reform. ... **Friday:** Trump speaks to the National Association of Manufacturers board.

**POLITICO GETS RESULTS -- "Tom Price to halt taxpayer-funded travel on private jets:** POLITICO has identified more than \$400,000 in charter jet spending for the HHS secretary's travels since May," by Dan Diamond: "Health and Human Services Secretary Tom Price told Fox News on Saturday that he'll stop his taxpayer-funded travel on private jets, pending a formal review by his department's inspector general. 'We've heard the criticism. We've heard the concerns. We take that very seriously and have taken it to heart,' Price said.

**"Price continued to take charter jets** after a POLITICO investigation identified that the HHS secretary had been chartering private planes to conduct official business for months. The cost of his trips this past week was \$56,500, according to a federal contract. An HHS spokesperson said this past week's schedule was already set and the plane had been pre-booked before POLITICO raised questions about Price's travels. POLITICO has now identified more than \$400,000 in charter jet spending for Price's travels since May." <http://politi.co/2jWYdiG>

-- **FROM DAN:** "Price's decision follows a week of scoops by POLITICO, starting with an investigation by me and Rachana Pradhan that revealed the HHS secretary had been chartering private planes to conduct official business for months. ... Price on Saturday justified the charter trips as necessary for responding to the opioid crisis and hurricanes. However, POLITICO identified at least 10 distinct charter flights since May that were not related to either the opioid crisis or hurricane response, including flights to conferences in San Diego and Aspen, Colorado."

**JMART'S GOOD POINT ON ALABAMA -- ROY MOORE** as 2017 version of **TODD AKIN** -- "Reading from prepared remarks at a debate on Thursday in Montgomery, Mr. Moore declared that 'crime, corruption, immorality, abortion, sodomy, sexual perversions sweep our land.' And appearing at a Baptist church last month in Jasper, Mr. Moore mused about what same-sex marriage could lead to. 'Maybe you can marry a horse or a cow, or five men or five women,' he said. It is the sort of message that terrifies Republican elites, who fear he could be a more weaponized version of Todd Akin, the 2012 Missouri Senate candidate who lost after saying women's bodies could block a pregnancy in cases of 'legitimate rape.'

**"Roy Moore would be the Todd Akin** of 2017 and 2018 for every Republican on the ballot,' said Karl Rove, the Republican strategist, who is aligned with the Senate Leadership Fund. 'Republicans will be asked, 'Do you agree homosexuality should be punished by death, do you believe 9/11 was a result of God's anger?' He'll say outrageous things, the media will play it up, and every Republican will be asked, 'Do you agree with that?'" <http://nyti.ms/2fIN9RI>

**ERIC GELLER: "Breaking nuclear deal could bring hacking onslaught from Iran":** "A move by President Donald Trump to discard the Obama-era nuclear deal with Tehran could bring a swift retaliation from an increasingly aggressive Iranian hacker army. Some of those attacks may target America's power plants, hospitals, airports and other pieces of critical infrastructure, multiple cyber experts that track Tehran's hackers are warning. Iran's current Western hacking is limited almost entirely to commercial espionage and dissident surveillance, but the country could quickly redirect its efforts in the event of a rupture of the nuclear pact.

**"Iran has spent years honing its digital skills** through cyber campaigns that have pummeled regional adversaries, stolen trade secrets from foreign competitors and destroyed computers at the oil giant Saudi Aramco. And initially, the country also aimed

its cyber forces at the U.S., launching a barrage of distracting attacks on the financial sector and even successfully infiltrating a dam in New York state. But after the U.S. and six partners began discussions with Iran in 2013 to lift some economic sanctions in exchange for limits on Tehran's nuclear program, the country's hackers have largely spared the U.S., focusing instead on industrial espionage and hitting rival Middle Eastern powers." <http://politi.co/2y1ecIP>

**FOR YOUR RADAR -- "Trump cranks up North Korea threats as Pyongyang holds anti-U.S. rally,"** by Reuters' Haejin Choi in Seoul and Michelle Nichols at the U.N.:

"U.S. President Donald Trump dialled up the rhetoric against North Korea again at the weekend, warning the country's foreign minister that he and leader Kim Jong Un 'won't be around much longer', as Pyongyang staged a major anti-U.S. rally. North Korea's Foreign Minister Ri Yong Ho told the United Nations General Assembly on Saturday that targeting the U.S. mainland with its rockets was inevitable after 'Mr Evil President' Trump called Pyongyang's leader a 'rocket man' on a suicide mission."

<http://reut.rs/2xBNIfI>

-- **@realDonaldTrump** at 11:08 p.m.: "Just heard Foreign Minister of North Korea speak at U.N. If he echoes thoughts of Little Rocket Man, they won't be around much longer!"

-- **@jimsciutto**: "Breaking: U.S. B-1B bombers fly in show of force off #North Korea coast, farthest north of DMZ in 21st century" ... "And here is one of those B1Bs on takeoff": <http://bit.ly/2fpf8c3>

**NEW WAPO/ABC NEWS POLL -- "Poll: Far more trust generals than Trump on N. Korea, while two-thirds oppose preemptive strike,"** by WaPo's Scott Clement and Phil Rucker: "Two-thirds of Americans oppose launching a preemptive military strike against North Korea, with a majority trusting the U.S. military to handle the escalating nuclear crisis responsibly but not President Trump, a new Washington Post-ABC News poll finds. Roughly three-quarters of the public supports tougher economic sanctions on North Korea in an attempt to persuade it to give up its nuclear weapons, while just about one-third think the United States should offer the isolated country foreign aid or other incentives. ...

**"Overall, Trump's image continues to be negative,** with 39 percent of Americans approving and 57 percent disapproving of the president's job performance. But the poll finds that clear majorities approve of Trump's response to recent hurricanes and support the agreement he struck with Democrats providing emergency disaster-relief funding and raising the nation's debt limit." <http://wapo.st/2fq0Rvy>

**BIG SUNDAY READ -- BOSTON GLOBE SPOTLIGHT TEAM -- "Secrets in the sky:**

The United States remains an easy mark for drug dealers, terrorists and others who prize anonymity when registering aircraft or getting licensed to fly. So much for the lessons of 9/11": <http://bit.ly/2jUJ7tQ>

**IN THE SKIES** -- A Saudi Arabian registered A310 landed at Andrews Air Force Base from Newark Saturday afternoon. <http://bit.ly/2fhQuGs>

**MAYBE GARY'S NOT DONE AFTER ALL -- "Yellen and Cohn Said to Be on Shortlist to Lead Federal Reserve,"** by NYT's Kate Kelly and Binyamin Appelbaum: "The White House has created a list of about a half-dozen candidates to be the next leader of the Federal Reserve, including its current chairwoman, Janet L. Yellen, and the president's chief economic adviser, Gary D. Cohn, according to two administration officials and a third person with knowledge of the process.

"The list also includes Jerome H. Powell, a member of the Fed's board of governors; Kevin Warsh, a former Fed governor; and the Stanford University economist John B. Taylor, the officials said. Preliminary interviews with some candidates have already begun with an eye toward presenting finalists to President Trump later this year. Ms. Yellen, whose four-year term ends in February, has been unusually successful in achieving the Fed's goals of minimizing unemployment and moderating inflation. But Mr. Trump, while praising her performance, has said that he may decide not to reappoint her. ...

"Mr. Trump has deputized four officials to lead the selection process for the Fed's next chairman, said one person familiar with the search: Treasury Secretary Steven Mnuchin; two of Mr. Cohn's aides on the National Economic Council, Jeremy Katz and Andrew Olmstead; and John DeStefano, the White House personnel director." <http://nyti.ms/2fplmZs>

**2020 WATCH -- "Biden rips Trump over race in South Carolina return,"** by Gabe Debenedetti in Charleston: "Former Vice President Joe Biden on Saturday evening urged Americans to stand up to hate groups - and took direct aim at President Donald Trump, who he said 'has publicly proclaimed the moral equivalency of Neo-Nazis, Klansmen, and those who oppose their hate.' Speaking at the centennial fundraising dinner for the Charleston branch of the NAACP, Biden said, 'This is a moment for this nation to declare what this president can't with any clarity, consistency, or vision: there is no place in America for hate groups.' ...

"The address was the latest, and most searing, in Biden's series of denunciations of the president and the current tenor of politics. It's been a rapidly escalating effort that far outstrips former President Barack Obama's Trump-era political work - and which has poured fuel on the speculation that Biden is considering a third run for the White House." <http://politi.co/2wdGo0j>

**Playbook Reads**

**PHOTO DU JOUR:** Baltimore Ravens players kneel down during the playing of the U.S. national anthem

before an NFL football game against the Jacksonville Jaguars at Wembley Stadium in London, on Sept. 24. This is the first NFL game since President Donald Trump said players should be fired for "disrespecting our flag." | Matt Dunham/AP Photo

**SUNDAY BEST, PART III -- CHRIS WALLACE** talks to **BILL GATES** on "Fox News Sunday": **WALLACE** on his conversation with President Trump earlier this year:

**WALLACE:** "But it didn't have the impact you hoped?" **GATES:** "Well, in terms of the first budget that he came out with, no. That was a disappointment to us. It was taking the medical research budget, called the NIH bringing that down fairly dramatically. Taking the aid programs, including the on-going HIV commitments and bringing those, so definitely I was disappointed in that."

**FOR YOUR RADAR -- "Merkel bids for fourth term as Germans head to the polls,"** by AP's Kirsten Grieshaber in Berlin: "Chancellor Angela Merkel was widely expected to win a fourth term in office as Germans went to the polls on Sunday in an election that is also likely to see the farthest right-wing party in 60 years, the anti-migrant Alternative for Germany, win seats in parliament. ... The latest polls had Merkel's conservative bloc at 34 to 37 percent support, the center-left Social Democrats with 21 to 22 percent and the anti-migrant Alternative for Germany, or AfD, with 10 to 13 percent support."  
<http://bit.ly/2hrC8Ef>

**DEEP DIVE -- "The Metals Magnate And Manafort: A Kremlin Confidant Is Drawn Into The Trump Investigation,"** by Mike Eckel and Christopher Miller in Radio Free Europe: "Sometime in the mid-2000s, [Oleg] Deripaska connected with a Russian named Konstantin Kilimnik, whose education at Russia's Military University for Foreign Languages has led to speculation that he is employed by intelligence agencies, something he has denied. Kilimnik began working for Manafort in 2005 ... Asked about his conversations with Manafort, Kilimnik told RFE/RL on September 21 that they discussed the U.S. election campaign, but he declined to describe the e-mail in detail or to say whether there was an effort to reach out to Deripaska.

**"There were millions of emails. [...]** we worked for 11 years. And we discussed a lot of issues, from Putin to women,' Kilimnik said via text message. ... Kilimnik wrote in another September 21 message[:]' They are tough investigators and probably will get manafort for some financial crap. With that many years of international clients no one can be 100% clean.'" <http://bit.ly/2y0X8MJ> (h/t @KenVogel)

**STEPH CURRY SPEAKS**, via NYT's Scott Cacciola in Oakland: "'I don't know why he feels the need to target certain individuals rather than others,' Curry, a two-time N.B.A. most valuable player, said at a news conference after the team's first practice of the season. 'I have an idea of why, but it's kind of beneath the leader of a country to go that route. It's not what leaders do.'" <http://nyti.ms/2fJvNi>

**WAPO'S SALLY JENKINS -- "What President Trump doesn't get about the NFL":** "How the NFL responds to Donald Trump's spit-foaming is hardly a test case for whether the republic will stand. Nevertheless, the league is a maker of manners in this country, so it means something that Commissioner Roger Goodell and others are

getting it right, striking the perfect calm but resistant tone in response to Trump's gutter-mouthing, a tone that says, 'We're not your personal WrestleMania, and don't use us for your sham body slams.' The NFL, faced with whether to play to the basest instincts of the audience, declined. It adhered to civility. ...

**"The vast majority of the men on the field are not spoiled millionaires** abusing their freedoms, as Trump charges. Rather, they have worked as hard as any farmers for their short-lived incomes and are dedicated to using their privilege to make things better for the people they play in front of. Brandon Marshall's Project Borderline foundation combats mental illness. Doug Baldwin is raising money for a family community center in Renton, Wash. And Kaepernick has given away \$1 million to various organizations." <http://wapo.st/2we8aKh>

-- **"UNC national championship team not visiting White House,"** by the News and Observer's Andrew Carter: "North Carolina's 2017 national championship men's basketball team will not visit the White House, a team spokesman said on Saturday, though the Tar Heels were invited to visit, as is the custom for teams that win college men's basketball and football national championships. Whether UNC would visit President Donald Trump's White House, if the Tar Heels won, became a topic of interest during the Final Four." <http://bit.ly/2xCeSwQ>

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**STARTLING ANECDOTE - STAN GREENBERG**, "How She Lost" in the American Prospect: "Astonishingly, the 2016 Clinton campaign conducted no state polls in the final three weeks of the general election and relied primarily on data analytics to project turnout and the state vote. They paid little attention to qualitative focus groups or feedback from the field, and their brief daily analytics poll didn't measure which candidate was defining the election or getting people engaged." <http://bit.ly/2fipWF4>

**WEST COAST WATCH -- "California Republicans looking for ways to increase their relevance in statewide races,"** by L.A. Times' Seema Mehta: "In an effort to avoid an embarrassing repeat of the Senate election in 2016, when no GOP candidate appeared on the November ballot, the California Republican Party may change its rules and pick sides in the primary.

**"Party leaders hope that creating an endorsement process** for statewide candidates would allow GOP voters to unite behind a single person in a multi-candidate primary field, increasing the chances that a Republican wins one of the top two spots in the primary and makes it to the general election." <http://lat.ms/2hrEZNz>

**BONUS GREAT WEEKEND READS**, curated by Daniel Lippman, filing from New York:

-- **"Snopes and the Search for Facts in a Post-Fact World,"** by Michelle Dean in Wired - per Longreads.com's description: "How the legendary internet fact-finding site snopes.com came to be, and how a messy divorce and ownership and control squabbles have threatened the site's existence." <http://bit.ly/2yiyF1p>

-- **"America Wasn't Built for Humans,"** by Andrew Sullivan in NYMag: "Tribalism was an urge our Founding Fathers assumed we could overcome. And so it has become our greatest vulnerability." <http://nym.ag/2y0afh9>

-- **"These Women Are the Last Thing Standing Between You and Nuclear War,"** by Danielle McNally in Marie Claire: If an order comes, missileers "open a safe located between their workstations secured with two padlocks, one fastened on by each missileer. Inside is a code that the incoming encrypted message must match. But there's an A-side and a B-side and neither missileer knows both. It's all part of Two-Person Control - a system that ensures a rogue missileer can't start World War III on her own." <http://bit.ly/2fFogpH>

-- **"An Open Letter to Ta-Nehisi Coates: The Dream is real,"** by Jason D. Hill in Commentary: "I am saddened by your conviction that white people wield such a great deal of metaphysical power over the exercise of your own agency. In making an enemy of the Dream that is a constitutive feature of American identity, you have irrevocably alienated yourself from the redemptive hope, the inclusive unity, and the faith and charity that are necessary for America to move ever closer to achieving moral excellence." <http://bit.ly/2wPHfDS>

-- **"That Magic Feeling: A day at Abbey Road Studios,"** by James Rosen in National Review: "There is no happy ending to this story. Not many years from now - five? one? - the world will be reduced to an uninhabitable state in which no Beatles are alive. Nor will this essay meet the dictates of feel-good pop psychology, wherein my visit to Abbey Road Studios in London this summer neatly caps, and thereby helps me to turn the corner on, my Fab obsession." <http://bit.ly/2jRaWmQ>

-- **"A Hospital Crisis Is Killing Rural Communities. This State Is 'Ground Zero,'"** by Lauren Weber and Andy Miller in HuffPost: "Inside three Georgia counties that have struggled to keep their hospitals ??? and futures ??? alive." <http://bit.ly/2hoJuZi>

-- **"The Salvation of Mosul,"** by Joshua Hammer in October's Smithsonian: "An Iraqi archaeologist braved ISIS snipers and booby-trapped ruins to rescue cultural treasures in the city and nearby legendary Nineveh and Nimrud." <http://bit.ly/2wM77QU>

-- **"\*Hopeful face\*,"** by Andrew Caines in the Times Literary Supplement - per TheBrowser.com's description: "A horrible thought, but what if emoji are the future of writing, as well as its past - a reversion to the pictographic tradition of Egyptian



hieroglyphs, after the relatively brief reign of the printing press and the written word? Already, emojis are a much richer language than hieroglyphics ever were - 2,666 symbols, against roughly a thousand known hieroglyphs. 'Emoji represent how eager we are to influence the emotions of others, and to resolve ambiguity in language.'

<http://bit.ly/2xtGOCY>

-- **"How Do You Like It Now, Gentlemen?"** by Lillian Ross in The New Yorker's May 13, 1950 issue: "Ernest Hemingway, who may well be the greatest living American novelist and short-story writer, rarely comes to New York. He spends most of his time on a farm, the Finca Vigia, nine miles outside Havana, with his wife, a domestic staff of nine, fifty-two cats, sixteen dogs, a couple of hundred pigeons, and three cows."

<http://bit.ly/2xWGq10> (h/t Longform.org)

-- **"Iris van Herpen's Hi-Tech Couture,"** by The New Yorker's Rebecca Mead: "The designer combines 3-D printing and hand stitching to reimagine the possibilities of the human body." <http://bit.ly/2hp7sUb>

-- **"A High-End Mover Dishes on Truckstop Hierarchy, Rich People, and Moby Dick,"** by Finn Murphy, author of "The Long Haul: A Trucker's Tales of Life on the Road," in a Longreads excerpt: "A mover waits longer for coffee, longer in the service bays, longer for showers, longer at the fuel desk, longer everywhere in the world of trucks than the freight hauler. It's because we're unknown. We don't have standard routes, so we can't be relied on for the pie slice and the big tip every Tuesday at ten thirty. We're OK with being outside the fellowship because we know we're at the apex of the pyramid." <http://bit.ly/2xzQpbu> ... **\$18.32 on Amazon** <http://amzn.to/2jRoHlx>

-- **"If It Keeps on Raining,"** by Micah Fields in Oxford American: In Houston, "water lapped at the floorboards. The Jeep could clear two feet easy, but on a few occasions, we looked in the mirror to watch the boat lift off its trailer and shimmy behind us, then ease back onto its carpeted runners. We entered neighborhoods of homes where floods had already come and gone, where people had started the process of mucking the unsalvageable remnants of their dwellings." <http://bit.ly/2hIhWYl>

## Playbookers

**SPOTTED:** Jack Del Rio, coach of the Oakland Raiders, having dinner at District Winery on Saturday night ahead of his team's game on Sunday versus the Redskins.

**OUT AND ABOUT** -- Three hundred people came out last night to celebrate Jeh Johnson's and wife Susan DiMarco's 60th birthday in a big tent outside the Montclair Art Museum in Montclair, New Jersey, DJ'd by Felix Hernandez. Food served included brisket, paella with crab and shrimp, lobster tacos, Halloumi cheese, and pigs in blanket. There was also a photo booth with cardboard cutouts of Jeh and Susan that guests took pictures with. Everyone also got a parting gift bag with a pocket Constitution and

chocolate truffles. **Pics** <http://bit.ly/2xo5Kwr> ... <http://bit.ly/2wPsh0A>

**SPOTTED:** Jonathan and Emily Alter, Tanya Bradsher, Todd Breasseale, Jonathan Capehart and Nick Schmit, Michael Chertoff, Penny Pritzker, Jack and Susanna Quinn, Charlie and Luiza Savage, Cyrus Vance Jr., Avril Haines, Elizabeth King, Bill Derrough, Chris Fonzone, Marc Morial, Alejandro Mayorkas, Amb. Phil Murphy, Amb. Joe Westphal, Pete Neffenger, Esther Olavarria, Tyler Moran, Roger Parrino, Paul Rosen, Steven Isenberg, Alice Lloyd, Aubrey Sarvis, Patti Steele, Frank Taylor, Mario Flores, Mary Alice Williams, and 10 members of the judiciary.

**EMBASSY PARTY CIRCUIT -- Pool report:** "The Royal Embassy of Saudi Arabia hosted its 87th National Day [yesterday], celebrating the anniversary of the country's establishment at the National Building Museum showcasing the Kingdom's rich cultural heritage, ongoing societal developments and long-standing partnership with the U.S. with Ambassador Khalid bin Salman bin Abdulaziz Al Saud." ***Pic of the new young ambassador by Daniel Swartz*** <http://bit.ly/2weNj9k>

**ENGAGED -- BRITTANY BRAMELL** -- currently assistant administrator for public affairs at TSA, and an alum of Uber, Boehnerland and Lindsey Graham for president, to **DAN PUNARO**, VP for Enterprise IT. Dan proposed at the Capitol, where they met more than a decade ago. Brittany's parents, four brothers and their families all flew from California to surprise her. ***Pic of the couple*** <http://bit.ly/2hozOS3> (h/t Dan's father Gen. Arnold Punaro)

**WEEKEND WEDDINGS -- KATIE WALSH**, senior data and digital adviser at the RNC, and **MIKE SHIELDS**, partner at Convergence Media, got married Saturday night in Kiawah Island, South Carolina. **SPOTTED:** Reince and Sally Priebus, Johnny and Sarah DeStefano, Rob and Cindy Sims, Renee and Rep. Richard Hudson (R-N.C.), Sean and Emily Cairncross, Brian Walsh, Brad Parscale, Mike Ambrosini and Vanessa Morrone, Cara Mason, Tory McGuire, Sean and Emily Cairncross, Guy Harrison, Chris Hansen, Madeleine Westerhout, Jonathan Day, Muffy Day, Richard Waters. ***Pic of the couple with Reince and Sally Priebus*** <http://bit.ly/2fjMp4T>

-- **Jeff Bechdel**, chief content officer for America Rising, and **Riley Thomlison**, sales and marketing manager at IJR, "exchanged vows in front of family and friends that came from across the United States to celebrate in a ceremony as the sun set over the St. Louis Country Club. As per Pittsburgh tradition, the highlight of the reception was an immaculate table of cookies. The couple first met while working at America Rising, Jeff as communications director and Riley as video director in 2014." **Pics** <http://bit.ly/2wMKNvk> ... ***Their first dance*** <http://bit.ly/2hoWLVi>

**SPOTTED:** Joe Pounder, Byron Koay, Colin Reed, Alex Angel, Bexie Nobles, Luke Marchant, Candace Lee, Emily Bouck, Maggie Dougherty, Tom Brandt, Nick Colella, Jesse and Erin Blumenthal, Richard Sant, Kerry Rom.

-- **Natalie Gillam**, comms. director for Rep. Ryan Costello (R-Pa.), married **Mark**

**McLaughlin**, research director at Senate Leadership Fund, at Bald Head Island in North Carolina Saturday. Pool report: "They met while working at the NRSC. She is an esteemed graduate of the London School of Economics and alum of America Rising. Within GOP circles Mark is credited for finding Elizabeth Warren's Native American ancestry, John Walsh plagiarizing his thesis and Joe Donnelly outsourcing jobs to Mexico." **Pics** <http://bit.ly/2xomFPr> ... <http://bit.ly/2xxDQ00>

**SPOTTED:** Alleigh Marre, Zack Roday, Zach Gillan, Christina Bolling, Dianna Colasurdo and Jahan Wilcox.

--**"Caroline Rabbitt, Andrew Tabler"** -- **N.Y. Times:** "Mrs. Tabler, 30, is the communications director in Washington for Senator Tom Cotton, an Arkansas Republican. She graduated from Wake Forest University and received a master's degree in communications from Johns Hopkins University. ... Mr. Tabler, 33, is the special assistant to the under secretary of the Navy, and works in the Pentagon. From 2010-2011, he served as an ensign in the Navy, at the Naval Amphibious Base Coronado in San Diego. He graduated from George Washington University." **With pic** <http://nyti.ms/2xxNq38>

**OBAMA ALUMNI -- "Allison Zelman, Max Lesko":** "Ms. Zelman, 33, is the director of states for the [DNC] in Washington. She was until 2011 a policy assistant and speechwriter for the Domestic Policy Council at the White House. ... Mr. Lesko, 32, is the director of national organizing, intergovernmental outreach and the Children's Defense Fund Action Council for the Children's Defense Fund in Washington. Until Jan. 20, he was working in the Obama administration as chief of staff at the Office for Civil Rights at the Department of Education. ... The couple met in Portland, Ore., in 2008 while working on the Obama presidential campaign." **With pic** <http://nyti.ms/2xC6fT4> ... **Buffy Wicks' wedding Instapic of the couple** <http://bit.ly/2xrKfYU>

--**SPOTTED:** Jon Carson, Paulette Aniskoff, Melody Barnes, Jeremy Bird, Betsy Hoover, Sharon Block, Dan Kanninen, Chris Wyant, Lauren Kidwell, Amanda Brown, Kyle Lierman, Jenn Brown, Anne Filipic, Carlos Monje, Greg Schultz, John Oxtoby, Emmy Ruiz, Jorge Neri, Shira Miller, Brian Gill, Alex Lofton, Aletheia Henry.

**BIRTHWEEK (was yesterday):** Richard Viguerie (hat tip: Peter Pasi) ... **(was Friday):** Mayer Brown managing partner Ken Geller, who celebrated with dinner with his family last night at Bistro Bis (h/t son Eric Geller)

**BIRTHDAYS:** Kate Karnes and Lara Barger of the White House (h/ts Lindsay Walters) ... Hope Hall, former Obama WH videographer ... former Defense Secretary Ash Carter is 63 ... Lou Dobbs is 72 ... Michael J. Kennedy ... Politico's Lisa Leonard (h/t Caitlin Conant) ... former Rep. Joseph Kennedy II (D-Mass.) is 65 ... Sharon Yang, government and politics outreach at Facebook ... VICE's Alexandra Jaffe ... Katie Levinson Burke, senior strategist and global chief of staff at Edelman and a Bush WH alum (h/t Matt David) ... Joe Householder, EVP of corporate and crisis at Hill & Knowlton Strategies ... Jessica Schumer ... Suzanne (Tomlin) Mackowiak ... Chris Altchek, Mic CEO and co-

founder ... Will Booher, former Bush 43, Commerce and FEMA ... historian and Reagan scholar Craig Shirley is 61 ... photojournalist Mike Kamber is 54 ... EPA's Patrick Davis ... DC restaurateur Alan Popovsky ... Missy Owens ... Shawn McCoy, publisher of InsideSources and a Romney Iowa alum, is 33. He's celebrating by playing laser-tag and Topgolf (h/t Blake Waggoner) ... Morgan Jackson, chief strategist for NC Gov. Roy Cooper's campaign and partner at Nexus Strategies (h/t Andrew Bates) ... WSJ's Katy Stech ... CAP's Phil Wolgin ...

... **Will Allison**, comms director for Jeff Flake for Senate and "not only the pride of Oklahoma but a perfect gentleman and best knife fighter on the Senate map in my book" (h/t Brian Reisinger) ... Kelsey Coates, former senior associate research director in the Obama WH, is 28 (h/t Dan Cronin) ... Mike Morey, SVP at SKDKnickerbocker ... Derek Pangallo ... Stan Kahn ... Joe DeSantis ... Sara Dubois ... Katherine McLane, senior advisor at LEVICK ... Will Nuckols ... Ken Suggs of Janet, Jenner & Suggs (h/ts Jon Haber) ... Taryn Houghton Rosenkranz ... Hilary Kelly ... Ericka Andersen ... Jason Putorti ... Page Austin ... Kim Fuller ... Tim Reynolds ... Moe Tkacik ... Daniel Buk ... James Reppert ... Andrew Cecchinato ... Anthony Knopps ... Pete Carr ... Stevens C. Berry ... Judah Groveman ... Lincoln Saunders ... Greg Knott ... Katrina Mendiola ... Sam Parker ... Tony Anthony ... Jon Davidson ... Michael Teter ... Dave Contarino (h/ts Teresa Vilmain)

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## Driving the Day

**BREAKING -- PRESIDENT DONALD TRUMP and MELANIA TRUMP** are skipping the Kennedy Center honors this year. Statement from the White House: "The President and First Lady have decided not to participate in this year's activities to allow the honorees to celebrate without any political distraction." ***The Kennedy Center honors take place in December.***

-- **THREE OF THE FIVE** honorees said they would not attend the White House reception that goes along with the honors. <http://wapo.st/2vMreBg>

**TEXT MESSAGE** from a House Republican lawmaker Friday night, reacting to Steve Bannon's departure: "Now the real circus begins. ... This is the tea party coming full circle."

**Good Saturday morning. WHAT BANNON'S DEPARTURE MEANS FOR TRUMP AND WASHINGTON ...**

-- **HOUSE CONSERVATIVES NEED A NEW WHITE HOUSE ALLY ...** It was an open secret that Steve Bannon was close with House Freedom Caucus leaders like Jim Jordan of Ohio and Mark Meadows of North Carolina. They shared some of the same off-brand conservative ideals and all saw Trump as a vessel to move those ideals into law. They chatted in the White House, and swapped text messages and phone calls. Part of the Freedom Caucus's strength in the Trump era was that no matter what happened between Reince Priebus, Donald Trump and Paul Ryan, Meadows always had a sounding board in the White House who could relay a message to the president. That's gone -- for now. They still have Trump's ear, but no backchannel to get their

message into the White House.

**-- THE WHITE HOUSE NEEDS SOMEONE WHO CAN LIAISE WITH THE RIGHT ...**

The Freedom Caucus has just enough juice to be a pain to Republican leaders and Trump. It was Bannon who could keep them from going too far. There is no other principal in Trump's administration who speaks their language. Mick Mulvaney and Mike Pence are loyal Trump soldiers who are looking to bend the Hill to Trump's will, not the other way around. They don't know John Kelly. So the White House needs to tap someone with power and clout who can deal with conservatives.

**-- REPUBLICAN LEADERS ARE NOT BREATHING EASIER.** The secret about Steve Bannon is he's actually pretty pleasant in personal interactions. He's solicitous and gracious in one-on-one interactions. Republican leaders were surprised when they learned that. GOP leaders never had a real blow up with Bannon. In fact, on many occasions, they found themselves talking the same language. The fear that is now rippling through Republican leadership is that Steve Bannon's departure actually meant very little for Trump's day-to-day style of governing. He's still going to be impulsive. He's still going to want to pick fights. Plus, Bannon's outside role now means that Paul Ryan and Mitch McConnell are squarely in the crosshairs. That means that conservative Republicans in red districts are now incentivized to oppose GOP leadership.

**-- NEW CONCERNS ABOUT DEBT CEILING, GOVERNMENT FUNDING.** The debt ceiling needs to be lifted this fall, and government funding runs dry at the end of September. In his interview with the Weekly Standard, Bannon was more publicly clear-eyed about White House-Capitol Hill dynamics than anyone who works in the Trump administration. He said Trump will "sign a clean debt ceiling" and will do a "very standard Republican version of taxes" -- the "standard marginal tax cut." Bannon is voicing what many Republicans tell us behind the scenes. Needless to say, Bannon thinks this is a cop out. And it seems painfully obvious Breitbart will rally against this, causing serious headaches for Republican leaders with a lot on the line.

**JUST TO BE CLEAR ...** -- Breitbart truly is a powerful voice on Capitol Hill. Not because lawmakers pay attention -- most say they don't -- but many of their constituents do. We hear it all the time. The primary political hurdle for most Hill Republicans is a primary, and Breitbart drags the conversation and rank-and-file thinking to the right.

**-- DON'T EXPECT** Bannon's departure to create a radical shift in how the White House operates. The chaos that has enveloped Trump's administration comes from the top. John Kelly and others are trying to limit that, but unless Trump makes a strategic decision to change his modus operandi, nothing is going to change. Bannon being on the outside could have more influence than ever. We've seen Trump time and again react to conservative news coverage, something Bannon will have a lot more direct influence over at Breitbart.

**TRUMP ON BANNON:** @realDonaldTrump at 7:33 a.m.: "I want to thank Steve Bannon for his service. He came to the campaign during my run against Crooked Hillary

Clinton - it was great! Thanks S".

## THE BEST OF BANNON ...

**THE PIECE EVERYONE IS TALKING ABOUT -- "Bannon: 'The Trump Presidency That We Fought For, and Won, Is Over,'" by The Weekly Standard's Peter J. Boyer:** "With the departure from the White House of strategist Stephen K. Bannon, who helped shape the so-called nationalist-populist program embraced by Donald Trump in his unlikely path to election, a new phase of the Trump presidency begins. Given Trump's nature, what comes next will hardly be conventional, but it may well be less willfully disruptive-which, to Bannon, had been the point of winning the White House. 'The Trump presidency that we fought for, and won, is over,' Bannon said Friday, shortly after confirming his departure. 'We still have a huge movement, and we will make something of this Trump presidency. But that presidency is over. It'll be something else. And there'll be all kinds of fights, and there'll be good days and bad days, but that presidency is over.' ...

**"I feel jacked up,"** he says. 'Now I'm free. I've got my hands back on my weapons. Someone said, 'it's Bannon the Barbarian.' I am definitely going to crush the opposition. There's no doubt. I built a f\*\*\*ing machine at Breitbart. And now I'm about to go back, knowing what I know, and we're about to rev that machine up. And rev it up we will do.' Bannon tells The Weekly Standard that he can be more effective without the constraints of the White House. 'I can fight better on the outside. I can't fight too many Democrats on the inside like I can on the outside.' And, he says, Trump encouraged him to take on the Republican establishment. 'I said, "look, I'll focus on going after the establishment." He said, "good, I need that." I said, "look, I'll always be here covering for you.'"

<http://twsw.io/2vaCmo0> ... **22 pix of Bannon's White House tenure**

<http://politi.co/2wq88Sq>

**-- NYT A1: "Steve Bannon, Back on the Outside, Prepares His Enemies List,"** by Jeremy Peters and Mike Grynbaum: "In many ways, I think I can be more effective fighting from the outside for the agenda President Trump ran on,' he said Friday. 'And anyone who stands in our way, we will go to war with.' Among those already in Mr. Bannon's sights: Speaker Paul D. Ryan; Senator Mitch McConnell, the majority leader; the president's daughter Ivanka Trump and son-in-law, Jared Kushner; and Gary D. Cohn, the former president of Goldman Sachs who now directs the White House's National Economic Council. ...

**"Most immediately, he has told associates** that he wants to ensure that any spending resolution approved next month by Congress includes money to begin construction on the wall that Mr. Trump has promised to build on the southern border. If Congress balks, Mr. Bannon has advised the president to issue a veto, which would trigger a government shutdown." <http://nyti.ms/2xdC4OS>

**-- BLOOMBERG: "Bannon Says He's 'Going to War for Trump' After White House Exit,"** by Josh Green, Justin Sink, and Margaret Talev: "If there's any confusion out



there, let me clear it up: I'm leaving the White House and going to war for Trump against his opponents -- on Capitol Hill, in the media, and in corporate America,' Bannon told Bloomberg News Friday in his first public comments after his departure was announced." <https://bloom.bg/2uRNURR>

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**TICK TOCK -- "Inside the rise and fall of Steve Bannon:** Trump's chief strategist had become increasingly isolated in the West Wing," by Josh Dawsey, Annie Karni, and Matt Nussbaum: "Kelly didn't understand what Bannon did, why he had a PR portfolio, why he seemed to cause so much trouble with colleagues and why he was so widely disliked. He asked many questions about Bannon in his early days at the White House and found widespread disdain. ... He has told colleagues he is looking forward to not having to wear a blazer and long pants." <http://politi.co/2vMXtk0>

**FROM BREITBART -- "'Populist Hero' Stephen K. Bannon Returns Home to Breitbart":** "Former White House Chief Strategist Stephen K. Bannon returned as Executive Chairman of Breitbart News Friday afternoon and chaired the company's evening editorial meeting. ... 'The populist-nationalist movement got a lot stronger today,' said Breitbart News Editor-in-Chief Alex Marlow. 'Breitbart gained an executive chairman with his finger on the pulse of the Trump agenda.' Breitbart News CEO and President Larry Solov agreed. 'Breitbart's pace of global expansion will only accelerate with Steve back,' said Solov. 'The sky's the limit.'" <http://bit.ly/2uQQxn3>

**-- MATTHEW CONTINETTI** in the NYT: **"Steve Bannon Is Overrated":** "Mr. Bannon is the latest in a long line of political advisers whose reputations are inflated after an election victory. Mr. Bannon may have given much thought to traditionalism and populism, may have publicized its themes as chairman of Breitbart.com, may be able to name drop René Guénon, Julius Evola, Jean Raspail, Neil Howe and William Strauss. But President Trump's inflammatory response to the clashes and killing last week in Charlottesville, Va., made it clear that it is he, and not Mr. Bannon, who maintains a gut connection with his most die-hard supporters. The most important culture warrior in this administration sits at the Resolute Desk. Mr. Bannon's reputation is overrated. Yes, he transformed Breitbart from an irreverent blog into the iconoclastic tribune of nation-state populism, the anti-elitist ideology of border walls, travel bans and political incorrectness." <http://nyti.ms/2uRHZpG>

**JOSH GREEN**, who wrote the book on Steve Bannon, emails us: "I thought Bannon might last a little longer because he's been the rare White House official willing to publicly defend a president engulfed in crisis in the wake of his Charlottesville response (#1 and #3, more than #2). But getting rubbed out suddenly like he did is an occupational hazard for senior Trump advisers: It's a job with a high mortality rate.

Bannon will do the same outside the White House that he was trying to do from the inside, and that's to lead a nationalist movement."

**MEANWHILE -- "Sources: Pence, McMaster team up to push more troops in Afghanistan,"** by Nahal Toosi and Eliana Johnson: "Top administration officials in favor of sending more troops to Afghanistan teamed up ahead of a high-level meeting on Friday to persuade President Donald Trump to step up American military involvement in the 16-year-old war, two sources told POLITICO. Vice President Mike Pence and national security adviser H.R. McMaster rehearsed their pitch heading into the Camp David strategy session in an effort to persuade Trump to accept commanders' proposals to beef up the 8,400 American troops in the country, the sources said.

**"But as of Friday evening,** the president had not announced a decision on his plans for Afghanistan, where the Taliban have grown in strength and Al Qaeda and the Islamic State terrorist groups have a foothold. And no announcement appeared imminent. The two sources - an administration official and a senior White House aide - also confirmed that Erik Prince, founder of the former Blackwater private security firm, had been scheduled to attend the session but that he was blocked at the last minute. The administration official said McMaster was the one who blocked Prince."

<http://politi.co/2wqaVLI>

**MICHAEL CROWLEY -- "Hawks soaring after Bannon's departure":**

<http://politi.co/2uRoaVX>

**CHOOSE YOUR NEWS -- @realDonaldTrump** at 7:47 a.m.: "Important day spent at Camp David with our very talented Generals and military leaders. Many decisions made, including on Afghanistan."

**--"Trump makes no decision on Afghanistan strategy,"** by Reuters' Steve Holland and Jonathan Landay: <http://reut.rs/2igMLh1>

**THE LATEST IN SPAIN -- "Spain, France press manhunt for ringleader in dual attacks,"** by AP's Alex Oller, Joseph Wilson and Lori Hinnant in Barcelona: "Authorities in Spain and France pressed the search Saturday for the supposed ringleader of an Islamic extremist cell that carried out vehicle attacks in Barcelona and a seaside resort, as the investigation focused on links among the Moroccan members and the house where they plotted the carnage. Early Saturday, police searched two buses in northwest Catalonia in the hunt for any remaining members of the cell. Nothing was found in the searches in Girona and Garrigas, police tweeted.

**"Across the Pyrenees,** French police carried out extra border checks on people coming from Spain - a routine beefing-up of patrols anytime a neighboring country flags a potential risk, a French security official said, speaking on condition of anonymity. No arrests were made. Police also announced a series of controlled explosions Saturday in the town of Alcanar, south of Barcelona, where the attacks were planned in a rental house destroyed Wednesday by an apparently accidental blast. Authorities had initially

written off the incident as a household gas accident, but took another look on Friday and returned on Saturday." <http://bit.ly/2wqW5UJ>

**NOT TAKING ANY CHANCES -- "After Charlottesville, Boston aims to avert violence at 'Free Speech' rally,"** by Reuters' Scott Malone and Nate Raymond:

"Hundreds of police officers will hit the streets of Boston on Saturday to deter violence at a 'Free Speech' rally with right-wing speakers a week after a woman was killed at a Virginia white-supremacist protest. At least 500 police officers, many on bicycles, aim to keep the expected crowd of a few hundred people at the 'Free Speech' rally separate from thousands attending a counter-protest by people who believe the event could become a platform for racist propaganda.

**"Authorities will close streets** to avert car attacks like the deadly one carried out in Charlottesville, Virginia, by a man said to have neo-Nazi sympathies against counter-protesters and a similar spate of attacks by Islamist extremists in Europe, most recently Barcelona. After Charlottesville's bloody street battles, Boston outlawed weapons of any kind -- including sticks used to hold signs -- in the protest area and ordered food vendors out of Boston Common, the nation's oldest park." <http://reut.rs/2x01aBr>

**-- "Lawmakers urge removal of Robert E. Lee statue at Antietam,"** by Austin Wright:

"Amid the national firestorm over Civil War monuments, Maryland lawmakers are pressing the National Park Service to remove a statue of Robert E. Lee that some view as an egregious attempt to sanitize Confederate history. And key House Democrats are threatening legislation if the Park Service won't act on its own to take down the statue at Antietam National Battlefield, site of the bloodiest single-day battle in U.S. history." <http://politi.co/2vaSfe8>

**MOOCH UPDATE -- "Scaramucci hires 'Fifteen Minutes,' Hollywood PR firm,"** by Isaac Dove: "Anthony Scaramucci ... has signed with Hollywood publicist Howard Bragman ... [whose] company is ... called Fifteen Minutes. One of his specialties is crisis communications for celebrities. His client list includes Barry Manilow and the JetBlue flight attendant who took two beers and jumped down an exit chute slide. He also handled Monica Lewinsky. Scaramucci ... is said to be looking for more media appearances." <http://politi.co/2wpWcjj>

## Playbook Reads

**PHOTO DU JOUR:** President Donald Trump walks across the tarmac before boarding Air Force One at Hagerstown Regional Airport in Maryland on Aug. 18. | Pablo Martinez Monsivais/AP Photo

**WILLIAM COHAN** in Vanity Fair, **"Please, God, Save Gary Cohn from Himself":** "He should resign for his own dignity and so that the reputation he worked so hard to build

on Wall Street during the last 30 years doesn't get further destroyed by the monster that is Donald Trump. ... I am told Cohn 'is dying' inside the Trump lunatic asylum, and that 'this is a real inflection point for him.' ... The right thing for Cohn to do is resign. He has no business any longer in a Trump administration. By staying, he is allowing Trump 'to borrow his credibility,' in the words of Thomas Ricks, the Pulitzer Prize-winning journalist, and ruin it.

**"Can he put aside his personal ambition** to be Fed chair in order to save his dignity and do what is clearly the right thing? No doubt this is what Cohn and his family are discussing during his respite in the Hamptons. 'Do you want to have a boss like Donald Trump?' [Larry] Summers said on Bloomberg, after being asked whether Cohn should resign. 'How do you face your children?' It's the right question, Gary."

<http://bit.ly/2uZZSol>

**THE ROADSHOW -- "Vice President Mike Pence is heading to California to raise money with Kevin McCarthy,"** by the L.A. Times' Seema Mehta: "Pence and McCarthy will headline a reception and dinner in Beverly Hills on Sept. 14. The following day, the pair will raise money at a breakfast in Bakersfield, a luncheon in Newport Beach and a reception and dinner in Sacramento. ... The fundraisers benefit California Victory 2018, a joint fundraising committee that benefits Pence's and McCarthy's political action committees, the [NRCC] and the congressional campaign accounts of McCarthy, Darrell Issa of Vista, Dana Rohrabacher of Costa Mesa, Mimi Walters of Irvine, Ed Royce of Fullerton, Steve Knight of Palmdale, David Valadao of Hanford, [and] Jeff Denham of Turlock." <http://lat.ms/2xdEPQd>

**DEEP DIVE -- PATRICK RADDEN KEEFE** in The New Yorker, **"Carl Icahn's Failed Raid on Washington:** Was President Trump's richest adviser focused on helping the country-or his own bottom line?": Keefe "profiles the financier Carl Icahn, and investigates his controversial (and potentially illegal) role as special adviser to President Trump-up until Icahn publicly stepped down from his position, on August 18th, as this piece was going to press. Icahn and Trump have known each other for decades. Keefe writes, 'Among Trump's panoply of wealthy boosters, Icahn is distinctive, if not unique, because of the President's willingness to play the beta role and genu???ect before him.' During the 2016 Presidential campaign, Icahn repeatedly raised the issue of renewable-fuel credits, speaking of the 'insane' per???dy of the E.P.A., which administers the credits system, and the plight of his re???ner, CVR Energy.

**"He believed that Trump would slash** regulation and would make the change that Icahn wanted on biofuel credits-shifting the so-called 'point of obligation' so that other parties would be compelled to purchase the credits, instead of merchant re???ners like CVR. Several weeks after Trump's victory, Icahn tweeted, 'I've agreed to serve as a special advisor to the president on issues relating to regulatory reform.' Keefe writes, 'Icahn's role was novel. He would be an adviser with a formal title, but he would not receive a salary, and he would not be required to divest himself of any of his holdings, or to make any disclosures about potential con???icts of interest.' In the months after the election, the stock price of CVR, Icahn's re???ner, nearly doubled. The rally meant a

personal benefit for Icahn, at least on paper, of half a billion dollars."

<http://bit.ly/2wZt6p6>

**TRUMP INC. -- "5 more charities drop Mar-a-Lago fundraisers,"** by Cristiano Lima: "Five more charities announced Friday they were dropping plans for fundraising events at President Donald Trump's Mar-a-Lago resort in Florida, as the administration continues to feel the backlash from business groups after the president's handling of the violent clashes in Charlottesville, Virginia, last weekend. Susan G. Komen, a multimillion-dollar nonprofit that raises money for breast cancer research; the International Red Cross; The Salvation Army; the Autism Association of Palm Beach County; and Big Dog Ranch Rescue in Loxahatchee Groves, Florida, all said they were pulling events from Mar-a-Lago's upcoming winter fundraising schedule, according to local reports."

<http://politi.co/2uZUlyk>

\*\*\*\*\* **A message from the Coalition for Affordable Prescription Drugs (CAPD) :** Pharmacy benefit managers negotiate the lowest net price for prescriptions on behalf of employers and other health care purchasers; however, the list price - the important starting point for those negotiations -- continues to rise, at a rate of nearly ten percent in 2016 alone. Increased competition, faster reviews of generics and biosimilars and ending anti-competitive practices can also bring down the cost of medications for patients. Learn more at [affordableprescriptiondrugs.org](http://affordableprescriptiondrugs.org) \*\*\*\*\*

**CLIMATE WATCH -- "More GOP lawmakers bucking their party on climate change,"** by David Siders in Los Angeles: "While President Donald Trump continues to dismantle Obama-era climate policies, an unlikely surge of Republican lawmakers has begun taking steps to distance themselves from the GOP's hard line on climate change. The House Climate Solutions Caucus, a bipartisan backwater when it formed early last year, has more than tripled in size since January, driven in part by Trump's decision in June to withdraw the United States from the Paris climate accord.

"**And last month,** 46 Republicans joined Democrats to defeat an amendment to the annual defense authorization bill that would have deleted a requirement that the Defense Department prepare for the effects of climate change. The willingness of some Republicans to buck their party on climate change could help burnish their moderate credentials ahead of the 2018 elections. Of the 26 Republican caucus members, all but five represent districts targeted by the [DCC] next year." <http://politi.co/2uS6SYt>

**SCOOP -- "Trans Surgical Care in Military Is on Hold, Leaked Emails Say,"** by Vice's Diana Tourjee and Lindsay Schrupp: "A transgender member of the U.S. military ... was scheduled to undergo a surgical procedure next week. However, according to the service member, the transition-related surgery-which they had been planning for several months-was abruptly canceled on Tuesday. A recent email sent to medical officials in the US military, a photograph of which was obtained by Broadly, explains why: 'Surgery related to gender transition is to be held at this time, effective now, pending further guidance.' In addition to the hold on new surgeries, the email mandates that 'any planned surgeries for gender transition must be cancelled at this time.'"

<http://bit.ly/2waUNxr>

-- **STEWART MCLAURIN** interviews former White House Social Secretaries Ann Stock and Amy Zantzing for "The 1600 Sessions" podcast about what it's like to plan events in the Executive Mansion. <http://bit.ly/2va8k3T>

**FLAGGING FOR THE PRESIDENT** -- There is a horse in the 5th race at Saratoga today named "Tweeter in Chief" owned by Marylou Whitney, with 15-1 odds of winning. (h/t Michael Longo).

**CLICKER** - "The nation's cartoonists on the week in politics," edited by Matt Wuerker -- **16 keepers** <http://politi.co/2wavxr8>

**GREAT WEEKEND READS**, curated by Daniel Lippman, filing from Nantucket:

--"**Our Minds Have Been Hijacked by Our Phones. Tristan Harris Wants to Rescue Them,**" by Wired's Nicholas Thompson: "Sometimes our smart phones are our friends, sometimes they seem like our lovers, and sometimes they're our dope dealers. And no one, in the past 12 months at least, has done more than Tristan Harris to explain the complexity of this relationship. Harris is a former product manager at Google who has gone viral repeatedly by critiquing the way that the big platforms-Apple, Facebook, Google, YouTube, Snapchat, Twitter, Instagram-suck us into their products and take time that, in retrospect, we may wish we did not give." <http://bit.ly/2w5uFUC>

--"**We Just Feel Like We Don't Belong Here Anymore,**" by Becca Andrews in Mother Jones: "Think it's hard for the white working class in rural America? Try being a person of color." <http://bit.ly/2i7ZLFt> (h/t Longreads.com)

--"**The Body Language of Power,**" by Andreas Kluth in Handelsblatt: "In a world of bullies and machos, Angela Merkel keeps ending up on top. Andreas Kluth, our editor-in-chief, deconstructs how." <http://bit.ly/2vFPTr8>

--"**What Science Tells Us About Good and Evil,**" by Yudhijit Bhattacharjee in NatGeo: "After a killing and a violent neo-Nazi rally in Charlottesville, the nation wrestles with why we commit such unspeakable acts." <http://on.natgeo.com/2waz6xF>

--"**Kennedy's Forgotten Coalition: Working Class Catholics,**" by Charles F. McElwee III in the American Conservative: "After decades of Democratic fealty, JFK's 'tribal benediction' went Trump." <http://bit.ly/2wZlra0>

--"**How a Journalist Uncovered the True Identity of Jihadi John,**" by Souad Mekhennet on Longreads in an excerpt of "I Was Told to Come Alone: My Journey Behind the Lines of Jihad": "Mekhennet's thrilling tale of late-night rendezvous, burner phones, and secret codes - and her quest to reveal the man in black." <http://bit.ly/2w5lC6i> ... **\$17.81 on Amazon** <http://amzn.to/2wdi5mP>

--"**Children of Catholic priests live with secrets and sorrow,**" by Boston Globe's Michael Rezendes: "If a life can have a crystallizing moment, for Jim Graham that 1993 meeting was it, discovering that his father might have been a Catholic priest, rather than John Graham, the distant man who raised him with scarcely a kind or comforting word." <http://bit.ly/2w5bLNU> (h/t Longform.org)

--"**How SB Nation Profits Off An Army Of Exploited Workers,**" by Deadspin's Laura Wagner: "Deadspin spoke to more than a dozen current and former site managers ... and found that SB Nation appears to be a system that, despite claims to being driven by passion, is driven by business imperatives; that offers little daily editorial guidance beyond deleting and apologizing for the racist, misogynistic, homophobic, or otherwise unacceptable posts that occasionally appear; that potentially exists in a legal gray area; and that is run by executives willing to go to great lengths to justify a business model that exploits thousands of poorly paid men and women." <http://bit.ly/2uT8qxC> (h/t Longform.org)

--"**The World Is Running Out of Sand,**" by The New Yorker's David Owen: "It's one of our most widely used natural resources, but it's scarcer than you think." <http://bit.ly/2uT65CR>

--"**Hostile Terrain: Tank Traps, Fake Towns & Secret Tunnels of the Korean Borderlands,**" by Kurt Kohlstedt on 99 Percent Invisible: "Strange structures start to appear all around as one drives toward the Korean Demilitarized Zone from either side of the border. There are overhead signs and what appear to be bridges connecting nothing at either end, roadside concrete blocks stacked like Brutalist totem poles, beach ball-sized steel orbs rusting on stumpy pedestals and other odd varieties. While the forms vary, these odd assemblies share a common purpose: in case of war, explosives can quickly turn them into defensive rubble." <http://bit.ly/2fOhf8W>

--"**Letter From Abuja: The Fading Sheen of Nigeria's Capital City,**" by Mathias Agbo, Jr. in Common Edge - per The Browser's description: "Portrait of Nigeria's capital city, purpose-built in the 1980s and now home to five million people, who have flocked there because Abuja is safer and better-run than other big cities, and in the hope of government jobs. But outside the core, Abuja has grown without planning or infrastructure. There is no city-wide public transport system. Most residential neighborhoods lack roads and streetlights. Only the older districts have mains water. Residents of newer neighborhoods must drill boreholes." <http://bit.ly/2fNRg1w>

## Playbookers

**SPOTTED:** Mike Allen hustling to make his Southwest Airlines flight to Nashville out of DCA this morning, as gate agents paged him overhead. "Mike made it, with just seconds to spare; they shut the doors after him," per our tipster.

**WELCOME TO THE WORLD - Kristen Hinman**, articles editor at Washingtonian, and **Tim Embree**, a congressional relations officer for the VA, post on Facebook: "Overjoyed to welcome Dorothy Louise Hinman Embree to our family! She was born late Wednesday afternoon, 7 lbs 10 oz and a monster 20.5 inches, and is named for two of her late great grandmothers. We bet she'll turn out to be as spunky, fierce, and independent as they both were!" **Pic** <http://bit.ly/2vRwiTr>

**POOL REPORT** from Hoover's "Outside the Beltway" media roundtable on Friday in Palo Alto: We heard from five speakers on issues like taxes and the economy, pensions, and entitlements. Economic historian Niall Ferguson started off his talk by positing that "social networks are highly in-egalitarian. Most social networks are characterized by extreme inequality." He said that social networks "amplify existing inequality and not reduce it." He also disputed the notion held by some that President Donald Trump is a tyrant. "The president looks like the weakest in recent memory, not like a tyrant." Attendees included The Economist's Ryan Avent, Sinclair's David Bernknopf, CNNMoney's Matt Egan, Fox Business' Francesca Conti, WaPo's James Hohmann and Catherine Rampell, RealClearMarkets' John Tamny, NYT's Nelson Schwartz and Vox's Jim Tankersley. **Pic of Lanhee Chen and James Hohmann (making a funny face) at the opening dinner at Il Fornaio on Thursday night -- photo credit: Marlon Bateman** <http://politi.co/2wiMksF>

**BIRTHWEEK ( was yesterday)**: Vanity Fair's Maya Kosoff turned 25 (hat tip: Jeremy Barr) ... **(was Thursday)**: Bloomberg's Ben Brody turned 3-0 and celebrated at DC9 on Friday night with friends (h/t Daniel Strauss)

**BIRTHDAYS**: President Bill Clinton is 71 ... Mary Matalin ... Tipper Gore (h/t Hilary Rosen) ... former FCC chair Julius Genachowski, now managing director in the U.S. buyout team of the global telecom, media and technology at the Carlyle Group, is 55 ... Sara Durkin, celebrating with her boys and dear family friends on Kiawah Island (hubby tip: James Rosen) ... WSJ's Brody Mullins ... Tom Rogers, former president and CEO of TiVo and founder of CNBC ... Scott Milburn ... Tabitha Soren is 5-0 ... Politico's Michelle Bloom and Rebecca McAlexander ... Haley Leonard ... Mohamed El-Erian, chief economic adviser at Allianz, and an avid Playbooker ... Rep. Will Hurd (R-Texas) is 4-0 ... Rep. James Comer (R-Ky.) is 45 ... Neil Grace, senior comms adviser at the FCC, and his twin bro Danny (h/ts Nikki Schwab and Olivia Petersen) ... NYT tech columnist Farhad Manjoo ... Nebraska Gov. Pete Ricketts is 54 (h/t Blake Waggoner) ... Emily Goodin, managing editor at Real Clear Politics ... Daily Caller publisher and CEO Neil Patel, also co-founder and managing director of Bluebird Asset Management, is 48 ... Adam Conner, senior account executive at Slack and a Facebook alum (h/t Jon Haber) ... WSJ video journalist Madeline Marshall ... Jamie Glick is 31 ... Adam Tomlinson ... Daniel Nassar, research analyst at Glenview Capital ...

... **Mark Seibel**, BuzzFeed national security editor ... Targeted Victory managing director Ryan Meerstein (h/t Zac Moffatt, who's a birthday boy tomorrow) ... Shannon Campagna, senior policy adviser at Alston & Bird LLP and a Mars alum (h/t Paul Braithwaite) ... Tish Wells ... Steve Owen is 61 ... Elizabeth Bibi, deputy director of



media relations for Gov. Cuomo ... Rebecca Ayer ... Kari Smith Gibson ... Andrew Vlasaty ... Missy Kurek ... Facebook's Eva Guidarini is 25 ... Kate Pomeroy ... former Rhode Island attorney general Arlene Violet ... Alan Pyke ... Chris Choi ... Reid Rosenberg ... Leon Saffelle ... Colin Kavanaugh ... Trevor Foughty, director of gov't relations and comms at Indiana University ... Maggie Cleary ... Jack Livingston, senior manager of gov't relations at Raytheon ... Carol Waller ... Jenna Matthis ... Will Craft ... Will McPherson ... Trevor Daley ... Shelby Knox ... Matthew Beck ... photojournalist Ralph Alswang ... Scott Hogenson ... Jillian Bandes ... Chandreyee Chakraborty ... Shomik Dutta ... Linda Chappetto ... John Sasso ... Lisa Guide, spending her day exercising to prepare to win the Empire Cross Country Ski race in 2018 (h/ts Teresa Vilmain)

**THE SHOWS**, by @MattMackowiak, filing from Austin:

-- **CBS's "Face the Nation"**: Sen. Tim Scott (R-S.C.) ... Sen. Tim Kaine (D-Va.) ... NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund president and director-counsel Sherrilyn Ifill, Life After Hate co-founder Christian Piccolini and VICE News' Elle Reeve. Panel: Jamelle Bouie, Jeffrey Goldberg, Julie Pace and Reihan Salam

-- **CNN's "State of the Union"**: Ohio Gov. John Kasich ... Rep. Adam Schiff (D-Calif.). Panel: Bakari Sellers, Rick Santorum, Nina Turner and Rep. Scott Taylor (R-Va.)

-- **"Fox News Sunday"**: Sen. Ben Cardin (D-Md.). Panel: Charles Hurt, Bob Woodward, Gillian Turner and Juan Williams (substitute host: Fox News' Bill Hemmer)

-- **NBC's "Meet the Press"**: Former Mayor of Atlanta Andrew Young, Jr. ... new NBC News/Marist poll results from Michigan, Pennsylvania and Wisconsin ... author Mark Bray and Southern Poverty Law Center president Richard Cohen. Panel: Donna Edwards, Stephen Hayes, Peggy Noonan and Eugene Robinson

-- **ABC's "This Week"**: Guests to be announced

-- **CNN's "Inside Politics"**: Julie Pace, Michael Bender, Michael Warren and Jackie Calmes (substitute host: CNN's Nia-Malika Henderson)

-- **CNN's "Reliable Sources"**: Josh Green and Jonathan Lemire ... Carl Bernstein, Douglas Brinkley and Alice Stewart ... Tanzina Vega and Nikole Hannah-Jones

-- **Fox News' "Sunday Morning Futures"**: Mike Huckabee ... American Center for Law and Justice president Jordan Sekulow ... AHA Foundation founder and human rights activist Ayaan Hirsi Ali ... Rep. Pete King (R-N.Y.). Panel: Ed Rollins and Mary Kissel

-- **Fox News' "MediaBuzz"**: Erin McPike ... Gayle Trotter ... Simon Rosenberg ... Larry Sabato ... The Washington Times' Cheryl Chumley ... Leslie Marshall ... Shelby Holliday

-- **Univision's "Al Punto"**: Pablo Monsalvo ... Rep. Carlos Curbelo (R-Fla.) ... Al

Cardenas ... Chelsea Alvarado ... Ilia Calderón ... white supremacy movement follower  
Jared Taylor ... Sheriff Joe Arpaio ... Griselda Triana

-- **C-SPAN: "The Communicators"**: FCC Commissioner Michael O'Rielly, questioned by Event Driven News' Lydia Beyoud ... **"Newsmakers"**: Senate Majority PAC president J.B. Poersch, questioned by The Washington Post's Sean Sullivan and McClatchy's Alex Roarty ... **"Q&A"**: Author and Real Clear Politics Washington Bureau Chief Carl Cannon

-- **Washington Times' "Mack on Politics"** weekly politics podcast with Matt Mackowiak (download on iTunes, Google Play, or Stitcher or listen at <http://bit.ly/2r37J6h>): Americans for Tax Reform president Grover Norquist.

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Letter to Administrator Pruitt concerning Dr. John Budroe.pdf

Hi Ryan,

Its Joel Heilman from LyondellBasell. I ran into you in the lobby of The Sanctuary in Kiawah Island, SC after the ACC board meeting where your boss spoke.

We briefly discussed a letter that Congressman Brian Babin (R-TX) and Congressman Gene Green (D-TX) sent to Administrator Pruitt on August 25, 2017 concerning a member of the Science Advisory Board Committee that is peer reviewing draft IRIS toxicological assessments of ethyl t-butyl ether (ETBE) and tert-butyl alcohol (TBA). As promised, I'm attaching this letter.

Perhaps someone on your staff could take a look at this and provide us with a status update?

I would be happy to provide more information if needed.

Thanks much,

Joel

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August 25, 2017

The Honorable Scott Pruitt  
Administrator  
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1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.  
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Dear Administrator Pruitt:

We are writing to express our concerns about the current composition of an EPA Science Advisory Board (SAB) Committee charged with peer reviewing draft IRIS toxicological assessments of Ethyl Tertiary Butyl Ether (ETBE) and tert-Butyl Alcohol (TBA). These chemical products are both manufactured in Houston-based facilities and have contributed to the creation of many high-paying jobs in our Congressional districts. As you know, there remain long standing criticisms of the IRIS program and its peer review procedures. SAB began assembling the committee to review the draft IRIS assessments of ETBE and TBA in late 2016. The committee held its first meeting in late August to begin the peer review process.

Selection criteria to determine panel membership included "absence of an appearance of a loss of impartiality."<sup>1</sup> It appears, however, that Dr. John Budroe of the California Environmental Protection Agency Office of Environmental Health Hazard and Assessment (OEHHA) does not meet this criterion and therefore should not serve on the SAB committee. Dr. Budroe's lack of impartiality was raised in public comments but SAB failed to act.

Dr. Budroe was a primary author of an OEHHA scientific document on cancer potency that relied heavily on TBA toxicological information.<sup>2</sup> TBA also is also a primary metabolite of ETBE, and some of the toxicological effects of ETBE are attributed to TBA. Importantly, the OEHHA document and its scientific conclusions directly support OEHHA's air toxics regulatory program.

<sup>1</sup> <https://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2016-10-27/pdf/2016-25930.pdf>

<sup>2</sup> <http://oehha.ca.gov/media/downloads/cnr/tbacurfsrpreview111416.pdf>

Compounding our concerns, we also have learned that OEHHA and EPA's National Center for Environmental Assessment (which manages the IRIS program) signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) to increase "communication and cooperation in the development of risk assessment methods and toxicologic assessments." The MOU also states that OEHHA and NCEA staff will engage in "regular discussions at the staff level, both formal and informal, aimed towards harmonization of methods and results" (see appended MOU). It would appear that Dr. Budroe, as a member of the OEHHA staff, is not only subject to this MOU but as an SAB committee peer reviewer would aim to harmonize the findings of the OEHHA scientific document he co-authored with the findings of the two draft IRIS assessments.


Notwithstanding Dr. Budroe's scientific qualifications, his apparent impartiality and conflicted interests should amply disqualify him from serving on the SAB committee reviewing ETBE and TBA.

We urge you to review this matter and take the appropriate steps to ensure the scientific integrity of the SAB peer review process.

Best regards,



Congressman Brian Babin



Congressman Gene Green



**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING**  
**ON COOPERATION AND COMMUNICATION IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF**  
**RISK ASSESSMENT METHODS AND TOXICOLOGIC ASSESSMENTS**  
**BETWEEN THE**  
**U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY**  
**NATIONAL CENTER FOR ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT**  
**AND THE**  
**CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY**  
**OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH HAZARD ASSESSMENT**

**I. PURPOSE/OBJECTIVES/GOALS**

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) serves as a mechanism for increased communication and cooperation in the development of risk assessment methods and toxicologic assessments. Specifically, it provides agreements on the types of information that can be shared at an early, pre-public release time-point and a mechanism by which the sharing can be accomplished.

**II. BACKGROUND**

Health risk assessment is the technical analysis of the nature and magnitude of the human health and environmental risks posed by exposures to environmental contaminants. The Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment (OEHHHA) within the California Environmental Protection Agency (Cal/EPA) and the National Center for Environmental Assessment (NCEA) within the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) develop methods and risk estimates for chemical contaminants. Although our mandates to protect public health are very similar, our governmental organizations operate under different statutes. Similarly, the controlling laws for each office may not require identical approaches, and in some cases specify slightly different methods. Nevertheless, the two offices would benefit from a commitment to minimize differences in risk assessment methodologies, where allowed by law, and to work together to foster harmonization of risk assessment methods, share data and evaluations, and provide mutual peer review of similar work products. Such harmonization of the efforts of NCEA with OEHHHA will help ensure efficient use of state and federal resources. In addition, we hope that the cooperation between NCEA and OEHHHA



will facilitate timely cross-agency peer reviews of our work products, promote peer involvement in the development of risk assessment methods, and help eliminate duplication of effort.

### **III. AUTHORITIES**

EPA enters into this MOU pursuant to Section 103 of the Clean Air Act, 42 USC 7403 and Section 104 of the Clean Water Act, 33 USC 1254, both of which encourage cooperative research investigation, training, and information sharing.

OEHHA enters into this MOU pursuant to Section 59017 of the California Health and Safety Code, which similarly provides for cooperative agreements covering health risk assessment activities.

We understand that this agreement is not a funding instrument and is not intended to provide justification for sole source funding authorizations. All actions undertaken pursuant to this MOU shall be consistent with Cal/EPA and U.S. EPA applicable laws, policies, and management directives.

### **IV. ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

OEHHA and NCEA mutually agree to share workplans and schedules, and to involve the other office in discussions and evaluations of ongoing projects and draft documents, as much as is feasible. This coordination may involve:

1. Sharing proposals as well as final decisions on prioritization and scheduling of chemicals for review;
2. Exchanging reports of progress on risk assessment reviews or method development;
3. Exchanging information on emerging problems and chemicals of concern;
4. Joint evaluation of data and sharing of statistical and epidemiological expertise;
5. Providing draft documents on chemical reviews and proposed new methods to each other's scientific staff, for technical discussion on work in progress as well as for peer review of completed drafts;
6. Maintaining confidentiality of information being shared as requested or in accordance with the standard procedures of both offices;
7. Sharing the results of literature searches, including electronic and paper copies of critical documents;
8. Promotion of regular discussions at the staff level, both formal and informal, aimed towards harmonization of methods and results;
9. Joint development of risk assessment methods; and
10. Support for attendance of scientific staff, when possible, at each other's major risk assessment symposia and conferences.

#### **A. RESOLUTION OF DISAGREEMENTS AND CONFLICTS**

Insofar as NCEA and OEHHHA are subject to different statutes, mandates, and directives, some methodological differences are inherent, and must be accepted as beyond the scope of this agreement. Other disagreements or differences should be discussed in a mutually supportive and respectful manner. Satisfactory resolution of such differences will improve efficiency and consistency between the two organizations, and is a major reason for development of the present MOU. Therefore be it resolved that NCEA and OEHHHA shall:

1. Agree to acknowledge the requirements of all applicable statutes, mandates, and executive directives, and the extent to which these may result in different approaches;
2. Respect the opinions and scientific integrity of all staff from both organizations, despite any major differences of opinions;
3. Work to clarify or explain differences in risk assessment methods or data interpretations in a respectful manner, and similarly respond respectfully to questions about preconceptions and conclusions;
4. Work toward resolution of differences in methods and conclusions by all available consensus-building techniques, including personal telephone calls, teleconferences, videoconferences, development of position papers, or joint discussions in person, with written follow-up on the discussion results, communicated to both organizations; and
5. Agree that some conflicts or disagreements can best be settled by a joint management decision (such as the decision to use 2/3 or 3/4 body weight scaling), participated in by both organizations.

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**Cc:** Thomas, Zachary[thomas.zachary@epa.gov]; Pruitt, Mark[pruitt.mark@epa.gov]  
**From:** Fleming, Edie  
**Sent:** Thur 11/2/2017 2:17:58 PM  
**Subject:** RE: Administrator Pruitt Advance

Hi Holly,

Yes, the security contact at The Sanctuary is still Yvonne Johnstone. I am happy to meet with the security for Pruitt at 2:30 on Wednesday. Please note, because of our other meetings taking place on Wednesday the room won't be set as it will be Thursday morning. In fact the wall dividers will be up between all of the rooms. If that still works I will put 2:30 on the calendar. If the rooms need to be open, we will start setting for dinner at 4:30ish. Please let me know what works best.

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**Sent:** Thursday, November 2, 2017 9:37 AM  
**To:** Hupp, Millan; Fleming, Edie  
**Cc:** Thomas, Zachary; Pruitt, Mark  
**Subject:** RE: Administrator Pruitt Advance

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Thank you.

Best,

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Additionally, could you kindly put us in contact with resort security and/or if you have contracted security, that person as well.

Warm regards,

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**Cc:** Personal Security Detail/Ex. 6/Ex. 7C/Ex. 7E/Ex. 7F  
**From:** Hupp, Millan  
**Sent:** Thur 11/2/2017 7:31:15 PM  
**Subject:** RE: Administrator Pruitt Advance

Holly and Edie,

We look forward to seeing you at 2:30PM on Wednesday. We will plan on meeting you in the lobby. If Ms. Johnston is also available, we would kindly ask that she attend as well.

Thank you very much,

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**Cc:** [REDACTED] **Personal Security Detail/Ex. 6/Ex. 7C/Ex. 7E/Ex. 7F**

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Washington, D.C.  
**ADMINISTRATOR SCOTT PRUITT**  
*DRAFT LINE X LINE: October 26 – November 19, 2017*

Thursday, October 26, 2017

7:45AM ET	<b>Depart for Breakfast</b>
8:00AM ET – 9:00AM ET	<b>Breakfast with Senator Toomey</b> Location: Senate Dining Room, Capitol Hill
9:00AM ET	<b>Depart for Office</b>
9:30AM ET – 9:45AM ET	<b>Taped Radio Interview: The Cats Roundtable Show with John Catsimatidis</b> Topic: Sue & Settle, EPA Agenda Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Liz Bowman, James Hewitt
10:00AM ET – 10:30AM ET	<b>Remarks: OECA Criminal Investigation Division, Special Agent-in-Charge Planning Meeting</b> Location: 2530 North Building Staff: Susan Bodine, Patrick Traylor
11:00AM ET – 11:45AM ET	<b>Interview: Anne Idsal</b> Note: Position of Region 6 Administrator Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Ryan Jackson
11:50AM ET	<b>Depart for</b> <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>
<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>Lunch</b> Location: <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>
1:30PM ET – 1:40PM ET	<b>Move to Cabinet Hold Area</b>
1:40PM ET – 2:30PM ET	<b>POTUS Speech</b> Location: East Room
2:45PM ET	<b>Move to Oval Office</b>
3:00PM ET – 3:45PM ET	<b>POTUS Meeting</b> Location: Oval Office
3:45PM ET	<b>Depart for Office</b>
4:15PM ET – 4:45PM ET	<b>Ex. 5 - Deliberative Process</b>

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12:00PM ET

Location: Mayflower Hotel, 1127 Connecticut Ave NW, WDC

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**ADMINISTRATOR SCOTT PRUITT**  
*DRAFT LINE X LINE: October 25 – November 19, 2017*

Wednesday, October 25, 2017

6:40AM ET – 7:00AM ET	<b>Depart Residence for Bible Study</b>
7:00AM ET – 7:50AM ET	<b>Bible Study</b> Location: USDA Whitten Building, 1400 Jefferson Drive SW, WDC
7:50AM ET – 8:00AM ET	<b>Depart Bible Study for Office</b>
8:00AM ET – 9:00AM ET	<b>Chief of Staff Meeting</b> Location: Alm Room
9:15AM ET – 9:30AM ET	<b>Pre-Brief: Bloomberg Interview</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Liz Bowman, Susan Bodine
9:30AM ET – 10:00AM ET	<b>Interview: Bloomberg</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Liz Bowman, Susan Bodine
10:00AM ET – 10:15AM ET	<b>Pre-Brief: Rosebud Mining Company</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Lee Forsgren, Henry Darwin
10:15AM ET – 10:45AM ET	<b>Meeting: Rosebud Mining Company</b> Location: Administrator's Office Topic: NPDES permitting, TMDLs, water regulations Staff: Lee Forsgren, Henry Darwin Attendees: Cliff Forrest, President & CEO Jim Barker, Executive VP Rob Higbee, VP of Engineering and Land John St. Clair, Manager of Permitting Matt Mazefsky, General Counsel Rachel Gleason, Executive Director of the Pennsylvania Coal Alliance Kevin Garber, Babst Calland
10:45AM ET – 11:30AM ET	<b>Briefing: Pesticides/ESA</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Erik Baptist, Nancy Beck, Jeff Sands, Tate Bennett, Mike Dourson
11:30AM ET – 12:00PM ET	<b>Weekly Discussion: Enforcement</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Susan Bodine, Patrick Traylor
12:00PM ET – 1:30PM ET	<b>HOLD: Lunch</b>
2:15PM ET – 3:00PM ET	<b>Briefing: Final RVOs – Production Analysis</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Mandy Gunasekara, Erik Baptist, Samantha Dravis, Brittany Bolen
3:00PM ET – 3:30PM ET	<b>Meeting: Inspector General</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Ryan Jackson

4:00PM ET – 4:30PM ET	<b>Meeting with Moroccan Ambassador</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Lincoln Ferguson, Samantha Dravis, Jane Nishida Attendees: Lalla Joumala Alaoui Zeineb Bentahila Isam Taib Rick Smotkin
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**ADMINISTRATOR SCOTT PRUITT**  
*DRAFT LINE X LINE: October 24 – November 19, 2017*

Tuesday, October 24, 2017

7:45AM ET	<b>Depart for Office</b>
8:00AM ET – 9:00AM ET	<b>Ex. 5 - Deliberative Process</b>
9:15AM ET – 9:30AM ET	<b>Weekly Discussion: Sarah Greenwalt</b> Location: Administrator's Office
9:30AM ET – 10:00AM ET	<b>Ex. 5 - Deliberative Process</b>
10:00AM ET – 10:15AM ET	<b>Briefing: Superfund</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Kell Kelly
11:00AM ET – 11:30AM ET	<b>Meeting: Home Builder / Stormwater Enforcement</b> Location: Alm Room Staff: Ken Wagner, Susan Bodine
11:45AM ET	<b>Travel to</b> <b>Ex. 5 - Deliberative Process</b>
12:00PM ET – 1:15PM ET	<b>Ex. 5 - Deliberative Process</b>
1:15PM ET	<b>Travel to Office</b>
1:45PM ET – 2:15PM ET	<b>Meeting: Governor Reynolds</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Mandy Gunasekara, Troy Lyons, Preston Cory Attendees: Iowa Governor Kim Reynolds Stephanie Groen, Director of State-Federal Relations Ryan Koopmans, Chief Policy Advisor Chris Carruthers, Trooper
2:30PM ET – 3:15PM ET	<b>Interview:</b> <b>Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy</b> Note: Position of Region 5 Administrator Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Ryan Jackson
3:15PM ET – 3:45PM ET	<b>Meeting: Plains All American Pipeline</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Ryan Jackson Attendees: Harry Pefanis, Plains All American Pipeline Denise Bode, Partner, Michael Best Strategies
3:45PM ET	<b>Travel to</b> <b>Ex. 5 -</b>
4:00PM ET – 4:30PM ET	<b>Ex. 5 - Deliberative Process</b>

## Wednesday, October 25, 2017

6:40AM ET – 7:00AM ET	<b>Depart Residence for Bible Study</b>
7:00AM ET – 7:50AM ET	<b>Bible Study</b> Location: USDA Whitten Building, 1400 Jefferson Drive SW, WDC
7:50AM ET – 8:00AM ET	<b>Depart Bible Study for Office</b>
8:00AM ET – 9:00AM ET	<b>Chief of Staff Meeting</b> Location: Alm Room
9:15AM ET – 9:30AM ET	<b>Pre-Brief: Bloomberg Interview</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Liz Bowman, Jahan Wilcox
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10:00AM ET – 10:15AM ET	<b>Pre-Brief: Rosebud Mining Company</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff:
10:15AM ET – 10:45AM ET	<b>Meeting: Rosebud Mining Company</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Attendees: Cliff Forrest, President & CEO Jim Barker, Executive VP Rob Higbee, VP of Engineering and Land John St. Clair, Manager of Permitting Matt Mazefsky, General Counsel Rachel Gleason, Executive Director of the Pennsylvania Coal Alliance
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3:00PM ET – 3:30PM ET	<b>Meeting: Inspector General</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Ryan Jackson
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7:45AM ET	<b>Depart for Breakfast</b>
8:00AM ET – 9:00AM ET	<b>Breakfast with Senator Toomey</b> Location: Senate Dining Room, Capitol Hill
9:00AM ET	<b>Depart for Office</b>

AM	<b>Tentative: Meeting: Governor Justice (WV)</b> Location: Administrator's Office
10:00AM ET – 10:30AM ET	<b>Remarks: OECA Criminal Investigation Division, Special Agent-in-Charge Planning Meeting</b> Location: 2530 North Building Staff: Susan Bodine
11:00AM ET – 11:45AM ET	<b>Interview: Anne Idsal</b> Note: Position of Region 6 Administrator Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Ryan Jackson
1:30PM ET	<b>Depart for White House</b>
1:40PM ET – 2:30PM ET	<b>POTUS Speech</b> Location: East Room
2:45PM ET	<b>Depart for Airport</b>
<b>Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy</b>	<b>Flight: Ex. 6 - MSY</b> Note: Layover in ATL. <b>Ex. 6 - Personal</b>
RON	<b>Loews New Orleans Hotel</b> Location: 300 Poydras St, New Orleans, LA

### Friday, October 27, 2017

TBD	<b>HOLD: New Orleans Visit</b>
8:30AM CT – 9:30AM CT	<b>Ex. 5 - Deliberative Process</b>
10:00AM CT – 10:30AM CT	<b>Coffee with AG Landry</b>
11:15AM CT – 12:00PM CT	<b>Speaking Engagement: Louisiana Chemical Association / Chemical Industry Alliance Annual Meeting</b> Location: Loews New Orleans Hotel, Louisiana Ballroom, 300 Poydras St, New Orleans, LA
<b>Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy</b>	<b>Personal Flight: MSY Ex. 6 - P</b> Note: Layover in DFW. <b>Ex. 6 - Personal</b>

### Saturday, October 28, 2017 – Sunday, October 29, 2017

**Ex. 6 - Personal  
Privacy**

### Monday, October 30, 2017

<b>Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy</b>	<b>Flight: Ex. 6 - DCA</b> Note: Layover in ATL <b>Ex. 6 - Personal</b>
11:30AM ET	<b>Depart for Speaking Engagement / Quick Lunch</b>

12:00PM ET – 1:00PM ET	<b>Speaking Engagement: Interstate Mining Company Commission (IMCC) State/Federal Session</b> Location: The Fairmont Georgetown, Culpeper Room, 2401 M St NW, WDC
1:00PM ET	<b>Travel to Office</b>
5:45PM ET	<b>Depart for Dinner</b>

Tuesday, October 31, 2017

7:45AM ET	<b>Depart for office</b>
8:00AM ET – 9:00AM ET	<b>Chief of Staff Meeting</b> Location: Alm Room
<b>Ex. 5 - Deliberative Process</b>	
9:30AM ET – 10:00AM ET	<b>Weekly Discussion: Enforcement</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Susan Bodine, Patrick Traylor
<b>Ex. 5 - Deliberative Process</b>	

Wednesday, November 1, 2017

6:40AM ET – 7:00AM ET	<b>Depart Residence for Bible Study</b>
7:00AM ET – 7:50AM ET	<b>Bible Study</b> Location: USDA Whitten Building, 1400 Jefferson Drive SW, WDC
7:50AM ET – 8:00AM ET	<b>Depart Bible Study for Office</b>
<b>Ex. 5 - Deliberative Process</b>	
10:30AM ET	<b>Depart for White House</b>
11:00AM ET – 12:30PM ET	<b>Cabinet Meeting</b> Location: WH Cabinet Room
<b>Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy</b>	

Thursday, November 2, 2017

7:45AM ET	<b>Depart for office</b>
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2:30PM ET	Depart for White House
2:45PM ET – 3:30PM ET	<b>Speaking Engagement: The Philanthropy Roundtable</b> Location: EEOB Indian Treaty Room 474

Friday, November 3, 2017

7:45AM ET	Depart for office
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Saturday, November 4, 2017 – Sunday, November 5, 2017

*Washington, DC*

Monday, November 6, 2017

7:45AM ET	Depart for office
8:00AM ET – 9:00AM ET	<b>Chief of Staff Meeting</b> Location: Alm Room
2:00PM ET – 2:30PM ET	<b>Interview: Politico</b> Topic: Superfund Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Liz Bowman, Jahan Wilcox, Kell Kelly, Michael Abboud

Tuesday, November 7, 2017

7:45AM ET	Depart for office
<h2>Ex. 5 - Deliberative Process</h2>	
10:15AM ET – 10:45AM ET	<b>Meeting: Regulatory Improvement Council/ Manufacturing Action Council</b> Location: Green Room Staff: Samantha Dravis, Brittany Bolen, Mandy Gunasekara, Nancy Beck, Sarah Greenwalt, Ryan Jackson
11:00AM ET – 12:00PM ET	<b>Briefing: West Lake ROD</b> Location: Alm Room Staff: Kell Kelly, Susan Bodine, Ryan Jackson, Tate Bennett, Nick Falvo, Veronica Darwin, Cathy Stepp, Silvina Fonseca, Jim Woolford, Barry Breen, Cyndy Mackey, Larry Starfield, Ed Chu, Mary Peterson

2:00PM ET – 2:30PM ET	<b>Interview: Reuters</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Liz Bowman, Jahan Wilcox
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Wednesday, November 8, 2017

<b>Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy</b>	<b>Flight:</b> <b>Ex. 6 -</b> ORD Note: Layover in DTW. <b>Ex. 6 - Personal</b>
2:00PM CT – 3:00PM CT	<b>Reception: SIGMA/NATSO Board of Directors</b> Location: Chicago, IL Staff: Ryan Jackson
3:00PM CT – 4:30PM CT	<b>Speaking Engagement: SIGMA Annual Conference Opening General Session</b> Location: The Westin, Michigan Ave, Chicago, IL Staff: Ryan Jackson
<b>Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy</b>	<b>Flight:</b> <b>Ex. 6 -</b> CHS <b>Ex. 6 - Personal</b>
PM	<b>Drive to Kiawah Island</b>
RON	Kiawah Island, SC

Thursday, November 9, 2017

9:15AM ET – 10:00AM ET	<b>American Chemistry Council Board of Directors Meeting</b> Location: Kiawah Island, SC Staff: Ryan Jackson
PM	<b>HOLD: Flight: CHS –</b> <b>Ex. 6 -</b>

Friday, November 10, 2017

*Veteran's Day* – **Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy**

Saturday, November 11, 2017 – Sunday, November 12, 2017

**Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy**

Monday, November 13, 2017

<b>Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy</b>	<b>Flight:</b> <b>Ex. 6 -</b> DCA Note: Layover in ATL <b>Ex. 6 - Personal</b>
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Tuesday, November 14, 2017

7:45AM ET	Depart for office
<b>Ex. 5 - Deliberative Process</b>	
9:15AM ET – 9:30AM ET	<b>Weekly Discussion with Sarah Greenwalt</b> Location: Administrator's Office
<b>Ex. 5 - Deliberative Process</b>	

Wednesday, November 15, 2017

6:40AM ET – 7:00AM ET	Depart Residence for Bible Study
7:00AM ET – 7:50AM ET	<b>Bible Study</b> Location: USDA Whitten Building, 1400 Jefferson Drive SW, WDC
7:50AM ET – 8:00AM ET	Depart Bible Study for Office
<b>Ex. 5 - Deliberative Process</b>	
9:15AM ET – 9:45AM ET	<b>Meeting: Attorney General Paxton</b> Location: Administrator's Office Topic: Federal regulatory reform Staff: Samantha Dravis, Troy Lyons Attendees: Attorney General Ken Paxton Marc Rylander, Communications Director Michael Toth, Special Counsel George Lane, Executive Aide
<b>Ex. 5 - Deliberative Process</b>	

Thursday, November 16, 2017

7:45AM ET	Depart for office
<b>Ex. 5 - Deliberative Process</b>	

Friday, November 17, 2017

7:45AM ET	Depart for office
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11:00AM ET	Depart for Speaking Engagement
11:15AM ET – 12:00PM ET	<b>Speaking Engagement: Federalist Society National Lawyers Convention</b> Location: Mayflower Hotel, 1127 Connecticut Ave NW, WDC

Saturday, November 18, 2017 – Sunday, November 19, 2017

*Washington, DC*

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**ADMINISTRATOR SCOTT PRUITT**

*DRAFT LINE X LINE: October 23 – November 12, 2017*

Monday, October 23, 2017

<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>Flight:</b> <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b> <b>BNA</b> <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>
<b>Ex. 5 - Deliberative Process</b>	<b>BG Products, Inc. Annual International Sales Convention</b> Location: Hilton Nashville Downtown, Nashville, TN Staff:
TBD	<b>Meeting with Governor Haslam</b> POC: Tate Bennett
TBD	<b>Farm Bureau Event</b> POC: Tate Bennett
<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>Flight: BNA</b> <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b> <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>

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*DRAFT LINE X LINE: October 20 – November 12, 2017*

Friday, October 20, 2017

(Lincoln, Nebraska)

Staff: Sarah, Lincoln, Troy, Jahan

8:08AM CT – 8:15AM CT	<b>Radio Interview with Gary Sadlemyer</b>
8:15AM CT	<b>Travel to KOLN-TV</b>
9:15AM CT – 9:25AM CT	<b>TV Interview on KOLN-TV with John Vanderford</b> Location: 840 North 40 <sup>th</sup> , Lincoln, NE
9:30AM CT	<b>Depart for Governor's Mansion</b>
10:00AM CT – 11:00AM CT	<b>Meeting with Governor Ricketts and Cabinet Members</b> Location: Governor's Mansion, 1425 H St, Lincoln, NE
11:00AM CT – 12:00PM CT	<b>WOTUS Roundtable with Stakeholders</b>
12:15PM CT – 1:00PM CT	<b>Lunch with:</b> Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy
1:15PM CT	<b>Depart for Lincoln, NE</b>
2:15PM CT – 3:15PM CT	<b>TBD OTR</b>
3:15PM CT	<b>Depart for Union Pacific</b>
3:30PM CT – 4:30PM CT	<b>Meeting with Union Pacific Executives</b> Location: Union Pacific HQ, 1400 Douglas St, Omaha, NE 68179
4:30PM CT – 4:45PM CT	<b>Depart for Airport</b>
Exs. 6 & 7(c)	<b>Flight: OMA</b> Exs. 6 & 7(c) Note: Layover in DTW. Exs. 6 & 7(c)

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Thursday, October 19, 2017

<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>Depart for Airport</b>	
	<b>Flight:</b> <b>IAH</b> <b>Note:</b> Layover in ATL <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	
3:30PM CT – 5:30PM CT	<b>HOLD: Houston Events</b>	
6:15PM CT – 7:00PM CT	<b>TXOGA Speaking Engagement</b> Location: The Woodlands Resort & Conference Center, Houston, TX	
8:00PM CT	<b>Depart for Airport</b>	
9:25PM CT – 11:39PM CT	<b>Flight:</b> IAH – OMA <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	
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Wednesday, October 18, 2017

7:45AM ET	<b>Depart for White House</b>
8:00AM ET – 9:00AM ET	<b>Breakfast with Senator Sullivan</b> Location: WH Mess Note: No staff is attending with Senator Sullivan. Confirmed reservation for 2 at 8AM.
9:00AM ET	<b>Travel to Office</b>
9:30AM ET – 10:00AM ET	<b>Time Magazine Interview with Justin Worland</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Liz Bowman, Jahan Wilcox

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11:00AM ET – 11:45AM ET	<b>Meeting: Fred Barnes, Weekly Standard</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Liz Bowman
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12:15PM ET	<b>Travel to Lunch</b>
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1:45PM ET	<b>Travel to Office</b>
2:15PM ET – 2:45PM ET	<b>Meeting: Walmart</b> Topic: RCRA-applied-to-retail concerns Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Byron Brown, David Fotouhi, Nancy Beck, Ken Wagner, Susan Bodine Attendees: Cindy Moehring, Walmart SVP, Chief Ethics and Compliance Officer Rick Leahy, Walmart VP, EHS Compliance Angie Cooper, Walmart Senior Director, Global Public Policy Wendy Brant, Walmart Senior Director, EHS Compliance Bruce Harris, Walmart VP, Federal Government Affairs

	Rich Dailey, Walmart Senior Director, EHS Compliance Scott Fulton, President, Environmental Law Institute
3:00PM ET – 3:30PM ET	<b>Meeting: Rubicon Global</b> Location: Administrator’s Office Staff: Lincoln Ferguson Attendees: Nate Morris, Co-Founder and CEO, Rubicon Global David Rachelson, Head of Sustainability, Rubicon Global
3:30PM ET – 5:30PM ET	<b>Briefing: WOTUS</b> Location: Administrator’s Office Staff: Sarah Greenwalt, David Fotouhi, Lee Forsgren, Susan Bodine, Brittany Bolen, Ryan Jackson
5:30PM ET – 6:00PM ET	<b>Meeting: Helena Wooden-Aguilar</b> Location: Administrator’s Office
6:15PM ET	<b>Travel to Dinner</b>
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Tuesday, October 17, 2017

<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>Depart for Office</b>
<b>Ex. 5 - Deliberative Process</b>	<b>Speaking Engagement &amp; Interview Prep</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Ryan Jackson, Lincoln Ferguson, Liz Bowman, Tate Bennett, Troy Lyons, Jahan Wilcox, Millan Hupp
	<b>Briefing: Risk Management Plan</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Samantha Dravis, Brittany Bolen, Byron Brown, Veronica Darwin
	<b>Briefing: True Environmentalism</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Liz Bowman, Lincoln Ferguson
10:30AM ET – 11:30AM ET	<b>Briefing: Pesticide Issues</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Nancy Beck, Erik Baptist
11:30AM ET	<b>Depart for Fox Studio</b>
<b>Ex. 5 - Deliberative Process</b>	<b>Live TV Interview: Neil Cavuto</b> Location: Fox Studio, 100 N Capitol St, WDC Staff:
12:15PM ET – 12:40PM ET	<b>HOLD: Quick Lunch</b>
12:40PM ET	<b>Depart for Speaking Engagement</b>
1:00PM ET – 1:45PM ET	<b>Heritage Foundation Speaking Engagement</b> Location: Marriott Marquis, Atrium Hall, WDC Staff: Liz Bowman
1:50PM ET	<b>Depart for White House</b>
2:15PM ET – 3:00PM ET	<b>Sue &amp; Settle Roundtable with Conservative Leaders</b> Location: EEOB 472 Staff: Tate Bennett, Liz Bowman, Brittany Bolen, Erik Baptist
3:00PM ET	<b>Depart for Capitol</b>
3:30PM ET – 4:30PM ET	<b>Hill Meeting</b> Location: Hart 135 Staff: Troy Lyons, Mandy Gunasekara, Samantha Dravis
4:45PM ET – 5:15PM ET	<b>Personal Calls</b>

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Monday, October 16, 2017

<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>Depart for office</b>
8:00AM ET – 9:00AM ET	<b>Chief of Staff Meeting</b> Location: Alm Room
9:00AM ET – 10:45AM ET	<b>Sue &amp; Settle Rollout</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Liz Bowman, Erik Baptist, Ryan Jackson, Brittany Bolen
10:25AM ET – 10:45AM ET	<b>TV Interview: KWTW-TV (Oklahoma City) with Kelly Ogle</b> Location: Administrator's Office
<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>Depart for White House</b>
11:00AM ET – 12:30PM ET	<b>Cabinet Meeting</b> Location: WH Cabinet Room
12:45PM ET	<b>Depart for Capitol</b> Note: Suggested drop-off is Senate Carriage Entrance
1:00PM ET – 2:00PM ET	<b>Lunch with Senator Grassley</b> Location: Senate Members Dining Room (S-110)
<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>Depart for Office</b>
2:30PM ET – 3:00PM ET	<b>Meeting: Green Plains</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Mandy Gunasekara Attendees: Todd Becker, President & CEO, Green Plains Michelle Mapes, Corporate Counsel, Green Plains Sasha Forsen, Public Relations Manager, Green Plains
3:00PM ET – 3:30PM ET	<b>Briefing: Science Boards</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Ryan Jackson, Richard Yamada, Brittany Bolen, Liz Bowman
3:30PM ET – 4:30PM ET	<b>Briefing: Pre-ROD – Casmalia Superfund Site in California</b> Location: Alm Room Staff: Kell Kelly, Nick Falvo, Silvina Fonseca, Region 9 by video
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<b>Ex. 5 - Deliberative Process</b>	<b>Pre-Brief: RCRA-applied-to-retail for Walmart Meeting</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Byron Brown, David Fotouhi, Nancy Beck, Susan Bodine

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*DRAFT LINE X LINE: October 13 – November 10, 2017*

Friday, October 13, 2017

8:00AM ET	<b>Depart for Office</b>
8:15AM ET – 8:45AM ET	<b>Interview: Kelsi Daniell</b> Note: Position of Traveling Press Secretary Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Liz Bowman
8:50AM ET – 9:00AM ET	<b>Pre-Brief: Biodiesel Fuels Board</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Ryan Jackson, Mandy Gunasekara, Samantha Dravis
9:00AM ET – 9:30AM ET	<b>Meeting: Biodiesel Fuels Board</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Ryan Jackson, Mandy Gunasekara, Samantha Dravis Attendees: Kent Engelbrecht, ADM, Biodiesel Trade Manager – NBB Chairman of the Board Mike Rath, Darling Ingredients, SVP / Commodities – NBB Governing Board Member Mel Davis, VP of Hog Procurement and Bioenergy for Seaboard Foods, Guymon, OK Donnell Rehagen, CEO of the National Biodiesel Board (NBB) Doug Whitehead, COO of the National Biodiesel Board (NBB/DC) Doug Hastings, Attorney – Morgan Lewis Terry Allen, Principal – Fidelis
9:30AM ET – 10:30AM ET	<b>Briefing: WOTUS</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Sarah Greenwalt, Lee Forsgren, Ryan Jackson, David Fotouhi, Samantha Dravis, Susan Bodine
10:30AM ET – 11:00AM ET	<b>Briefing: Air Monitoring Rule Litigation and Proposed Settlement</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Justin Schwab, Mandy Gunasekara, Samantha Dravis, Brittany Bolen, David Harlow
11:00AM ET – 11:45AM ET	<b>Briefing: OECA Update</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Susan Bodine, Patrick Traylor, Ryan Jackson
11:45AM ET	<b>Leave for Lunch</b>
12:00PM ET – 1:15PM ET	<b>Lunch with Rep. Shimkus</b> Location: <span style="border: 1px dashed black; padding: 2px;">Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy</span> <span style="border: 1px dashed black; padding: 2px;">Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy</span> Staff: Ryan Jackson or Troy Lyons
1:15PM ET	<b>Travel to White House</b>
1:30PM ET – 3:00PM ET	<b>NSC Principals Meeting: Hurricane Recovery</b> Location: WH Situation Room
<span style="border: 1px dashed black; padding: 2px;">Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</span>	<b>Travel to Office</b>

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4:15PM ET –  
4:45PM ET

**Briefing: Washington Multi-Claim Water Quality Standards Litigation**  
Location: Administrator's Office  
Staff: David Fotouhi, Sarah Greenwalt

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Thursday, October 12, 2017

7:18AM CT – 7:45AM CT	<b>Live Radio Interview: SuperTalk Mississippi with Paul Gallo</b> Location: 6311 Ridgewood Road, Jackson, MS
8:15AM CT – 8:45AM CT	<b>Meeting: Governor Bryant</b> Location: Capitol, 400 High St, Jackson, MS
9:00AM CT – 10:30AM CT	<b>WOTUS Discussion</b> Location: Rose Room, Governor's Mansion, 300 E Capitol St, Jackson, MS
10:30AM CT	<b>Travel to Bolton, MS</b>
11:00AM CT – 11:30AM CT	<b>Farm Tour and Meeting with Farm Bureau</b> Location: Gaddis Farms Lake House, 2180 Queens Hill Road, Bolton, MS
11:30AM CT	<b>Depart for Jackson</b>
12:00PM CT – 1:30PM CT	<b>Lunch</b> Location: <b>Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy</b>
	<b>Speaking Engagement: Mississippi Manufactures Association</b> Location: Jackson, Mississippi
<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>Flight: JAN</b> <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b> Note: Layover in ATL. <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>

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*DRAFT LINE X LINE: November 9 – December 15, 2017*

Thursday, November 9, 2017

(Kiawah Island, SC)

Staff: Lincoln, Ryan, Tate, Ken

5:20AM ET – 8:53AM ET	<b>Flight</b> <b>Note</b> <b>AA</b>	Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy/ Ex. 7(c)
9:00AM ET	<b>Depart for The Sanctuary (Kiawah Island Golf Resort)</b>	
10:15AM ET – 11:00AM ET	<b>American Chemistry Council Board of Directors Meeting</b> Location: One Sanctuary Beach Dr, Kiawah Island, SC	
11:00AM ET – 11:45AM ET	<b>Depart for Airport</b>	
12:30PM ET – 2:00PM ET		Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy/ Ex. 7(c)
5:25PM ET – 11:05PM CT		Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy/ Ex. 7(c)

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Wednesday, November 8, 2017

(Chicago, IL)

Staff: Ryan, Lincoln, Tate, Ken

<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>Flight:</b> <b>ORD</b> Note: Layover in DTW. <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>
12:30PM CT – 1:30PM CT	<b>Personal Lunch</b>
2:00PM CT – 3:00PM CT	<b>Reception: SIGMA/NATSO Board of Directors</b> Location: Chicago, IL
3:00PM CT – 4:30PM CT	<b>Speaking Engagement: SIGMA Annual Conference Opening General Session</b> Location: The Westin, Michigan Ave, Chicago, IL
4:30PM CT – 6:00PM CT	<b>Depart for Airport</b>
<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>Flight: ORD</b> – <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b> <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>

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*DRAFT LINE X LINE: November 7 – December 5, 2017*

Tuesday, November 7, 2017

<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>Depart for office</b>
10:15AM ET – 10:45AM ET	<b>Meeting: Regulatory Improvement Council/ Manufacturing Action Council</b> Location: Green Room Staff: Samantha Dravis, Brittany Bolen, Mandy Gunasekara, Nancy Beck, Sarah Greenwalt, Ryan Jackson, Tate Bennett, Jeff Sands
11:00AM ET – 12:00PM ET	<b>Briefing: West Lake ROD</b> Location: Alm Room Staff: Kell Kelly, Susan Bodine, Ryan Jackson, Tate Bennett, Nick Falvo, Veronica Darwin, Cathy Stepp, Silvina Fonseca, Jim Woolford, Barry Breen, Cyndy Mackey, Larry Starfield, Ed Chu, Mary Peterson
12:00PM ET – 12:15PM ET	<b>Meeting: Jim Gulliford, Region 7 Administrator</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Ryan Jackson
12:15PM ET	<b>Travel to Lunch</b>
<b>Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy</b>	
1:45PM ET	<b>Travel to Office</b>
2:00PM ET – 2:30PM ET	<b>Interview: Ledge King, USA Today</b> Topic: EPA's Back-to-Basics Agenda, Pruitt's Priorities Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Liz Bowman, Jahan Wilcox
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3:45PM ET – 4:00PM ET	<b>Call: Congressman Darin LaHood (IL-18)</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Ryan Jackson, Troy Lyons, Aaron Ringel, Lee Forsgren
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Monday, November 6, 2017

<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>Depart for office</b>
8:30AM ET – 9:15AM ET	<b>Chief of Staff Meeting</b> Location: Alm Room
9:15AM ET – 9:45AM ET	<b>Call: Jack Gerard, API</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Samantha Dravis
11:45AM ET	<b>Depart for Lunch</b>
12:00PM ET – 1:15PM ET	<b>Lunch with</b> <b>Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy</b> Location: <b>Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy</b>
1:15PM ET	<b>Depart for Office</b>
1:45PM ET – 2:00PM ET	<b>Briefing: Politico Interview</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Liz Bowman, Jahan Wilcox, Kell Kelly, Michael Abboud
2:00PM ET – 2:30PM ET	<b>Interview: Politico</b> Topic: Superfund Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Liz Bowman, Jahan Wilcox, Kell Kelly, Michael Abboud
2:45PM ET – 3:15PM ET	<b>Briefing: AIS Waivers</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Lee Forsgren, Troy Lyons, Aaron Ringel, Ryan Jackson
3:30PM ET – 3:45PM ET	<b>Video Message: Heartland Institute</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Liz Bowman, Lincoln Ferguson, John Konkus
4:00PM ET – 4:30PM ET	<b>Meeting: Patrick Carolan, Executive Director, Franciscan Action Network</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Tate Bennett, Hayley Ford, Lincoln Ferguson

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Friday, November 3, 2017

7:45AM ET	<b>Depart for Breakfast</b>
8:00AM ET – 9:00AM ET	<b>OTR Coffee/Breakfast with Major Garrett, CBS News</b> <b>Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy</b> Staff: Lincoln Ferguson
9:00AM ET	<b>Depart for Office</b>
9:15AM ET – 9:40AM ET	<b>Briefing: NSC Principals Meeting</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Ryan Jackson, Mike Flynn
9:40AM ET	<b>Depart for White House</b>
10:00AM ET – 11:30AM ET	<b>NSC Principals Committee Meeting: Hurricane Recovery Framework</b> Location: WH Situation Room
11:30AM ET	<b>Travel to Office</b>
12:15PM ET – 12:45PM ET	<b>Meeting: Jeff Wood &amp; Jon Brightbill, DOJ</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: David Fotouhi
1:00PM ET	<b>Travel to</b> Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy Staff: Tate Bennett
1:15PM ET – 2:30PM ET	<b>Lunch with</b> Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy Location: Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy
2:30PM ET	<b>Travel to Office</b>
2:45PM ET – 3:30PM ET	<b>Briefing: CPP</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Samantha Dravis, Mandy Gunasekara, Erik Baptist, Brittany Bolen
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Thursday, November 2, 2017

<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>Depart for Office</b>
9:30AM ET – 10:00AM ET	<b>Briefing: Ohio 303(d) List Litigation</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: David Fotouhi, Sarah Greenwalt
10:00AM ET – 10:30AM ET	<b>Briefing: Bristol Bay</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: David Fotouhi, Justin Schwab
10:30AM ET – 11:00AM ET	<b>Briefing: CCR Rule Reconsideration &amp; Litigation Update</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: David Fotouhi, Byron Brown, Veronica Darwin, Ryan Jackson
12:00PM ET	<b>Depart for Speaking Engagement</b>
12:15PM ET – 1:00PM ET	<b>Speaking Engagement: The Philanthropy Roundtable</b> Location: Joe's Seafood, Prime Steak & Stone Crab, 750 15 <sup>th</sup> St NW, WDC
1:00PM ET – 2:00PM ET	<b>Lunch</b>
2:30PM ET	<b>Depart for White House</b>
2:45PM ET – 3:30PM ET	<b>Announcement of the Nominee for Chair of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve</b> Location: WH Rose Garden

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*DRAFT LINE X LINE: November 1 – 19, 2017*

Wednesday, November 1, 2017

9:00AM ET	<b>Depart for Office</b>
9:30AM ET – 10:00AM ET	<b>Briefing: International Travel</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Millan Hupp, Sarah Greenwalt, Samantha Dravis, Lincoln Ferguson, Hayley Ford
10:35AM ET	<b>Depart for White House</b>
11:00AM ET – 12:30PM ET	<b>Cabinet Meeting</b> Location: WH Cabinet Room
1:00PM ET – 2:15PM ET	<b>Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy</b> Location: <b>Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy</b> Note: Hayley has details.
2:15PM ET	<b>Travel to Office</b>

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3:30PM ET – 4:00PM ET	<b>Weekly Discussion: Restructuring</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Henry Darwin, Holly Greaves, Ryan Jackson
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Tuesday, October 31, 2017

<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>Depart for office</b>
8:00AM ET – 9:00AM ET	<b>Chief of Staff Meeting</b> Location: Alm Room
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9:30AM ET – 10:00AM ET	<b>Weekly Discussion: Enforcement</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Susan Bodine, Patrick Traylor
11:40AM ET – 12:00PM ET	<b>Trick-or-Treaters</b> Location: Administrator's Office
12:00PM ET – 1:00PM ET	<b>Lunch</b>
1:00PM ET – 1:45PM ET	<b>Science Boards Rollout: Pen &amp; Pad with Reporters</b> Location: Administrator's Office
2:00PM ET – 3:00PM ET	<b>Science Boards Rollout: Remarks &amp; Directive Signing</b> Location: Green Room
3:30PM ET – 4:00PM ET	<b>Briefing: Brick MACT and Ozone</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Mandy Gunasekara, Justin Schwab, David Harlow, Samantha Dravis, Brittany Bolen
4:00PM ET or 4:30PM ET	<b>Meeting: Bristol Bay Economic Development Corporation</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: David Fotouhi, Lee Forsgren Attendees: Robin Samuelsen, Chairman Norm Van Vactor, President & CEO
5:30PM ET – 9:30PM ET	<b>HOLD: Tentative Media: Science Boards Rollout</b>

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U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
Washington, D.C.  
**ADMINISTRATOR SCOTT PRUITT**  
*DRAFT LINE X LINE: October 30 – November 19, 2017*

Monday, October 30, 2017

<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>Flight: TUL</b> <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b> Note: Layover in ATL <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>
11:30AM ET	<b>Depart for Speaking Engagement / Quick Lunch</b>
12:00PM ET – 1:00PM ET	<b>Speaking Engagement: Interstate Mining Company Commission (IMCC) State/Federal Session</b> Location: The Fairmont Georgetown, Culpeper Room, 2401 M St NW, WDC
1:00PM ET	<b>Travel to Office / Lunch</b>
2:00PM ET	<b>Personal Call</b>
2:30PM ET – 3:15PM ET	<b>Briefing: Science Boards Rollout Prep</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Richard Yamada, Ryan Jackson, Liz Bowman, Brittany Bolen, Samantha Dravis, Tate Bennett, Troy Lyons
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5:45PM ET	<b>Depart for Dinner</b>

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Washington, D.C.  
**ADMINISTRATOR SCOTT PRUITT**  
Chicago, Illinois / Kiawah Island, South Carolina  
Staff: Lincoln, Tate, Ryan, Ken,  
Staff Advance: Millan

**Thursday, November 9, 2017**

(Kiawah Island, SC)  
Staff: Lincoln, Ryan, Tate, Ken  
Temperature: 59/ rainy

04:00AM	<b>Depart for Airport</b>
Exs. 6 & 7(c)	Exs. 6 & 7(c) <b>CLT</b> Exs. 6 & 7(c) Locator: Exs. 6 & 7(c)
Exs. 6 & 7(c)	<b>CLT – CHS</b> Exs. 6 & 7(c) Locator: Exs. 6 & 7(c)
09:00AM – 09:45AM	<b>Depart for The Sanctuary (Kiawah Island Golf Resort)</b> Location: One Sanctuary Beach Dr. Kiawah Island, SC 29455 Staff: Lincoln and Ryan <i>33.2 miles</i>
10:00AM – 10:45AM	<b>ACC Board of Directors Meeting Roundtable</b> POC: Bryan Zumwalt <a href="mailto:bryan_zumwalt@americanchemistry.com">bryan_zumwalt@americanchemistry.com</a> Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy Attendees: 90 Location: Grand Ballroom  Gregory Adams..... Vice President, Americas, SABIC Christophe Beck..... Executive Vice President, President, Nalco Water, Nalco (an Ecolab Company) Pierre Brondeau..... Chairman, President and CEO, FMC Corporation Neil Chapman..... President, ExxonMobil Chemical Company Dean Cordle..... President and CEO, A C & S, Incorporated Matt Davis..... President, Dow North America, Senior Vice President Global Public Affairs, and Government Affairs, Dow Randy Dearth..... President and CEO, Calgon Carbon Corporation *Cal Dooley..... President and CEO, American Chemistry Council Juan Ferreira..... Vice President, Global Crop Protection and Global BioAG, Monsanto Company John Fischer..... Chairman, President and CEO, Olin Corporation Kevin Fogarty..... President and CEO, Kraton Corporation Christophe Gerondeau..... President and CEO, Total Petrochemicals & Refining USA, Inc. Michael J. Graff..... Chairman and CEO, American Air Liquide Holdings, Inc. Burnis (B.J.) Hebert..... Interim President, Occidental Chemical Company Peter Huntsman..... President and CEO, Huntsman Corporation Erin Kane..... President and CEO, AdvanSix

	<p>Todd Karran..... President and CEO, NOVA Chemicals Corporation</p> <p>Matthew Koenings.....Vice President, SHE and Operational Excellence, DuPont</p> <p>Mark Kramer..... President and CEOI, Anderson Development Company</p> <p>Michael Lacey..... President, North America Zone, Solvay America, Inc.</p> <p>Mark Lashier..... President and CEO, Chevron Phillips Chemical Company LP</p> <p>*Jerry MacCleary..... President, Covestro LLC</p> <p>Jim M. Nicholson..... President and CEO, PVS Chemicals</p> <p>Anne Noonan..... President and CEO, OMNOVA Solutions, Inc.</p> <p>John Panichella..... President and CEO, Solenis</p> <p>Antonis Papadourakis..... President and CEO, LANXESS Corporation</p> <p>*Bhavesh V. (Bob) Patel..... CEO, LyondellBasell</p> <p>John Portz..... Vice President, General Manager, 3M</p> <p>Craig Rogerson..... Chairman, President and CEO, Hexion</p> <p>Richard Rowe..... President and CEO, Arkema Inc.</p> <p>Eric Schnur..... Chairman, President and CEO, The Lubrizol Corporation</p> <p>Rob Shama.....President, Afton Chemical Corporation</p> <p>Thomas L. Shepherd..... Chairman and CEO, The Shepherd Chemical Company</p> <p>Wayne Smith..... Chairman and CEO, BASF Corporation</p> <p>Quinn Stepan..... Chairman, President and CEO, Stepan Company</p> <p>Graham van't Hoff..... Executive Vice President, Shell Chemical LP</p> <p>Michael Wilson..... President and CEO, Ingevity Corporation</p>
11:00AM – 11:45AM	<p><b>Depart for Airport</b></p> <p>Staff: Lincoln and Ken</p> <p>Ryan and Tate will ride with Millan to the airport.</p> <p><i>Note: 33.2miles</i></p>
Exs. 6 & 7(c)	<p><b>CHS</b> – Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</p> <p>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</p> <p>Locator: Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</p>
Exs. 6 & 7(c)	<p>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c) <b>TUL</b></p> <p>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</p> <p>Confirmation #: Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</p>

**Travel Summary – Agency Record Locator** Exs. 6 & 7(c)**Traveler**

BENNETT / ELIZABETH T

Reference number by traveler: Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)

Date	From/To	Flight/Vendor	Status	Depart/Arrive	Class/Type
11/07/2017	Exs. 6 & 7(c) ORD		Confirmed		Economy / N
11/08/2017	ORD-CHS	Exs. 6 & 7(c)	Confirmed	Exs. 6 & 7(c)	Economy / H
11/09/2017	CHS Exs. 6 & 7(c)		Confirmed		Economy / G

**Travel Summary – Agency Record Locator** Exs. 6 & 7(c)**Traveler**

WAGNER / KENNETH E

Reference number by traveler: Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)

11/08/2017	Exs. 6 & 7(c) DTW		Confirmed		Economy / V
11/08/2017	DTW-ORD	Exs. 6 & 7(c)	Confirmed		Economy / V
11/08/2017	ORD-CHS		Confirmed	Exs. 6 & 7(c)	Economy / H
11/09/2017	CHS Exs. 6 & 7(c)		Confirmed		Economy / G



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## Traveler

JACKSON / RYAN T

Reference number by traveler: Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)

Date	From/To	Flight/Vendor	Status	Depart/Arrive	Class/Type
11/08/2017	Exs. 6 & 7(c) DTW		Confirmed		Economy / V
11/08/2017	DTW-ORD	Exs. 6 & 7(c)	Confirmed		Economy / V
11/08/2017	ORD-CHS		Confirmed	Exs. 6 & 7(c)	Economy / H
11/10/2017	CHS: Exs. 6 & 7(c)		Confirmed		Economy / G

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## Traveler

FERGUSON / LINCOLN R

Reference number by traveler: Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)

Date	From/To	Flight/Vendor	Status	Depart/Arrive	Class/Type
11/08/2017	Exs. 6 & 7(c) DTW		Confirmed		Economy / V
11/08/2017	DTW-ORD	Exs. 6 & 7(c)	Confirmed	Exs. 6 & 7(c)	Economy / V
11/08/2017	ORD-CHS		Confirmed		Economy / H



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Chicago, Illinois / Kiawah Island, South Carolina  
Staff: Lincoln, Tate, Ryan, Ken,  
Staff Advance: Forrest and Millan

**Wednesday November 8<sup>nd</sup>, 2017**

(Chicago, IL)

Staff: Lincoln, Tate, Ken, Ryan  
Temperature: 47, 0% chance of rain  
Dress Code: Business

06:15AM	<b>Departure from Residence</b>
<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b> <b>DTW</b> <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b> Locator: <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>
<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>DTW – ORD</b> <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b> Locator: <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>
10:30AM – 11:25AM	<b>Depart for Coffee</b> Location: <b>Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy</b> Staff: Lincoln and Ryan <i>Note: 17.5miles</i>
11:25AM – 12:00PM	<b>Personal Coffee</b> <i>Note: Lincoln and Tate have details</i>
12:30PM – 01:30PM	<b>Personal Lunch at:</b> <b>Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy</b> <i>Note: Lincoln and Tate Details</i>
02:00PM – 03:00PM	<b>SIGMA/NATSO BoD Reception</b> Room: Ontario Room Attendees: About 50 members of the board and executive level officers. <i>Note: Around 2:50pm Administrator goes back to hold room to be Lav'd.</i>
03:00PM – 03:50PM	<b>SIGMA Annual Conference Opening General Session</b> POC: Liz Menz, <a href="mailto:lmenz@sigma.org">lmenz@sigma.org</a> <b>Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy</b> Introducing: Brad Puryear, 1 <sup>st</sup> Vice President of the Executive Committee & General Counsel for Mansfield Energy. Format: Fireside Chat with Brad Puryear Press: Some Press attending Run of Show: 3:00pm – 3:05pm: Brad Puryear introduces Administrator 3:05pm – 3:50pm: Fireside chat 3:50pm: Conclude
04:00PM – 05:40PM	<b>Depart for Airport</b> Staff: Lincoln and Ryan <i>Note: 17.6miles</i>
<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>ORD</b> <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b> <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>

	Locator: Exs. 6 & 7(c)
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Thursday November 9<sup>nd</sup>, 2017

(Kiawah Island, SC)

Staff: Lincoln, Ryan, Tate, Ken

Temperature:

*Note: All events will take place on property and will likely be walking movements.*

04:30AM	<b>Depart for Airport</b>
Exs. 6 & 7(c)	Exs. 6 & 7(c) <b>CLT</b> Exs. 6 & 7(c) Locator: Exs. 6 & 7(c)
Exs. 6 & 7(c)	<b>CLT – CHS</b> Exs. 6 & 7(c) Locator: Exs. 6 & 7(c)
09:00AM – 09:40AM	<b>Depart for The Sanctuary (Kiawah Island Golf Resort)</b> Location: One Sanctuary Beach Dr. Kiawah Island, SC 29455 Staff: Lincoln and Ryan
10:15AM – 11:00AM	<b>ACC Board of Directors Meeting</b> POC: Bryan Zumwalt <a href="mailto:bryan_zumwalt@americanchemistry.com">bryan_zumwalt@americanchemistry.com</a> 202-499-0239 Attendees: 90
11:00AM – 11:40AM	<b>Depart for Airport</b> Staff: Lincoln and Ryan <i>Note: 33.2miles</i>
11:40AM – 11:50AM	<b>Depart for Airport</b> Staff: Lincoln and Tate
12:30PM – 02:00PM	<b>CHS – DCA</b> Exs. 6 & 7(c) Locator: Exs. 6 & 7(c)
05:25PM – 11:05PM	<b>DCA – TUL</b> Exs. 6 & 7(c) Confirmation #:

Tate:

**Travel Summary – Agency Record Locator** Exs. 6 & 7(c)**Traveler**

BENNETT / ELIZABETH T

**Reference number by traveler:** Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy

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<u>11/07/2017</u>	Exs. 6 & 7(c) ORD		Confirmed		Economy / N
<u>11/08/2017</u>	ORD-CHS	Exs. 6 & 7(c)	Confirmed	Exs. 6 & 7(c)	Economy / H
<u>11/09/2017</u>	CHS Exs. 6 & 7(c)		Confirmed		Economy / G

Ken:

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WAGNER / KENNETH E

**Reference number by traveler:** Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy

<u>11/08/2017</u>	Exs. 6 & 7(c) -DTW	Confirmed	Exs. 6 & 7(c)	Economy / V
<u>11/08/2017</u>	DTW-ORD	Confirmed	Exs. 6 & 7(c)	Economy / V
<u>11/08/2017</u>	ORD-CHS	Confirmed		Economy / H
<u>11/09/2017</u>	CHS-Exs. 6 & 7(c)	Confirmed		Economy / G

Ryan:

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JACKSON / RYAN T

**Reference number by traveler:** Exs. 6 & 7(c)

**Date**

11/08/2017	DTW		Confirmed		Economy / V
11/08/2017	DTW-ORD		Confirmed	Exs. 6 & 7(c)	Economy / V
11/08/2017	ORD-CHS	Exs. 6 & 7(c)	Confirmed		Economy / H
11/10/2017	CHS		Confirmed		Economy / G

Lincoln:

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**Traveler**

FERGUSON / LINCOLN R

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Date	From/To	Flight/Vendor	Status	Depart/Arrive	Class/Type
11/08/2017	DTW		Confirmed		Economy / V
11/08/2017	DTW-ORD		Confirmed	Exs. 6 & 7(c)	Economy / V
11/08/2017	ORD-CHS	Exs. 6 & 7(c)	Confirmed		Economy / H
11/09/2017	CHS		Confirmed		Economy / G

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Staff: Lincoln, Tate, Ryan, Ken,  
Staff Advance: Forrest and Millan

**Wednesday November 8<sup>nd</sup>, 2017**

(Chicago, IL)  
Staff: Lincoln, Tate, Ken, Ryan  
Temperature: 47, 0% chance of rain  
Dress Code: Business

06:15AM	<b>Departure to Airport</b>
<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b> <b>DTW</b> <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b> Locator: <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>
<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>DTW – ORD</b> <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b> Locator: <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>
10:30AM – 11:25AM	<b>Depart for Coffee</b> Location: <b>Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy</b> Staff: Lincoln and Ryan <i>Note: 17.5miles</i>
11:25AM – 12:00PM	<b>Personal Coffee</b> <i>Note: Lincoln and Tate have details</i>
12:30PM – 01:30PM	<b>Personal Lunch at</b> <b>Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy</b> <i>Note: Lincoln and Tate Details</i> <i>Note: At 1:40pm move into the hold room (Erie Room)</i> - At 2:00pm the Administrator will move into the Ontario Room for the reception.
02:00PM – 03:00PM	<b>SIGMA/NATSO BoD Reception</b> Room: Ontario Room Attendees: About 50 members of the board and executive level officers. <i>Note: Around 2:50pm Administrator goes back to hold room to be Lav'd.</i>
03:00PM – 03:50PM	<b>SIGMA Annual Conference Opening General Session</b> POC: Liz Menz, <a href="mailto:lmenz@sigma.org">lmenz@sigma.org</a> <b>Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy</b> Introducing: Brad Puryear, 1 <sup>st</sup> Vice President of the Executive Committee & General Counsel for Mansfield Energy. Format: Fireside Chat with Brad Puryear Press: Some Press attending Run of Show: 3:00pm – 3:05pm: Brad Puryear introduces Administrator 3:05pm – 3:50pm: Fireside chat 3:50pm: Conclude
04:00PM – 05:40PM	<b>Depart for Airport</b> Staff: Lincoln and Ryan <i>Note: 17.6miles</i>



Exs. 6 & 7(c)	ORD	Exs. 6 & 7(c)
	Exs. 6 & 7(c)	
	Locator:	Exs. 6 & 7(c)

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November 7<sup>nd</sup>, 2017

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Prepared by: Advance

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Chicago, Illinois / Kiawah Island, South Carolina  
Staff: Lincoln, Tate, Ryan, Ken,  
Staff Advance: Forrest and Millan

**Wednesday November 8<sup>nd</sup>, 2017**

(Chicago, IL)

Staff: Lincoln, Tate, Ken, Ryan

Temperature: 47, 0% chance of rain

Dress Code: Business

<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b> <b>DTW</b>
	<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b> Locator: <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>
	<b>DTW – ORD</b>
	<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b> Locator: <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>
10:30AM – 11:25AM	<b>Depart for Coffee</b> Location: The Westin (900 N. Michigan Ave, Chicago, IL 60611) Staff: Lincoln and Ryan <i>Note: 17.5miles</i>
11:25AM – 12:00PM	<b>Personal Coffee</b> <i>Note: Lincoln and Tate have details</i>
12:30PM – 01:30PM	<b>Personal Lunch at The Westin</b> <i>Note: Lincoln and Tate Details</i> <i>Note: At 1:45pm move into the hold room (Erie Room)</i> - <i>At 2:00pm the Administrator will move into the Ontario Room for the reception.</i>
02:00PM – 03:00PM	<b>SIGMA/NATSO BoD Reception</b> Room: Ontario Room Attendees: About 50 members of the board and executive level officers. <i>Note: Around 2:50pm Administrator goes back to hold room to be Lav'd.</i>
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04:00PM – 05:40PM	<b>Depart for Airport</b> Staff: Lincoln and Ryan <i>Note: 17.6miles</i>
<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>ORD</b> <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>

<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>
	Locator: <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>

**Thursday November 9<sup>nd</sup>, 2017**

(Kiawah Island, SC)

Staff: Lincoln, Ryan, Tate, Ken

Temperature:

*Note: All events will take place on property and will likely be walking movements.*

04:30AM	<b>Depart for Airport</b>
<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b> <b>CLT</b> <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b> Locator: <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>
<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>CLT – CHS</b> <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b> Locator: <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>
09:00AM – 09:15AM	<b>Depart for The Sanctuary (Kiawah Island Golf Resort)</b> Location: One Sanctuary Beach Dr. Kiawah Island, SC 29455 Staff: Lincoln and Ryan
09:15AM – 10:00AM	<b>ACC Board of Directors Meeting</b> POC: Bryan Zumwalt <a href="mailto:bryan_zumwalt@americanchemistry.com">bryan_zumwalt@americanchemistry.com</a> <b>Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy</b> Attendees: 90
10:00AM – 10:55AM	<b>Depart for Airport</b> Staff: Lincoln and Ryan <i>Note: 33.2miles</i>
10:55AM – 11:40AM	<b>HOLD Lunch</b> Location: TBD
11:40AM – 11:50AM	<b>Depart for Airport</b> Staff: Lincoln and Tate
<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>CHS</b> <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b> <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b> Locator: <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>
	<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b> <b>TUL</b> <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b> Confirmation #:

Tate: RON November 7<sup>th</sup> at River Hotel (75 East Wacker Drive Chicago, IL)

**Travel Summary – Agency Record Locator** **Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy**

**Traveler**

BENNETT / ELIZABETH T

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11/07/2017	Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy ORD	Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy	Confirmed	Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy	Economy / N
11/08/2017	ORD-CHS	Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy	Confirmed	Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy	Economy / H
11/09/2017	CHS	Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy	Confirmed	Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy	Economy / G

Ken:

## Travel Summary – Agency Record Locator Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy

## Traveler

WAGNER / KENNETH E

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11/08/2017	Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy DTW	Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy	Confirmed	Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy	Economy / V
11/08/2017	DTW-ORD	Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy	Confirmed	Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy	Economy / V
11/08/2017	ORD-CHS	Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy	Confirmed	Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy	Economy / H
11/09/2017	CHS	Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy	Confirmed	Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy	Economy / G



Ryan:

**Travel Summary – Agency Record Locator** Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy**Traveler**

JACKSON / RYAN T

Reference number by traveler: Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy

Date	From/To	Flight/Vendor	Status	Depart/Arrive	Class/Type
11/08/2017	DTW		Confirmed		Economy / V
11/08/2017	DTW-ORD		Confirmed		Economy / V
11/08/2017	ORD-CHS		Confirmed		Economy / H
11/10/2017	CHS		Confirmed		Economy / G

Lincoln:

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FERGUSON / LINCOLN R

Reference number by traveler: Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy

Date	From/To	Flight/Vendor	Status	Depart/Arrive	Class/Type
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<u>11/08/2017</u>	<b>DTW-ORD</b>		Confirmed		Economy / V
<u>11/08/2017</u>	<b>ORD-CHS</b>		Confirmed		Economy / H
<u>11/09/2017</u>	<b>CHS-DCA</b>	<b>Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy</b>	Confirmed	<b>Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy</b>	Economy / G
<u>11/09/2017</u>	<b>CHI</b>		Confirmed		

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**ADMINISTRATOR SCOTT PRUITT**  
*DRAFT LINE X LINE: November 7 – December 5, 2017*

Tuesday, November 7, 2017

9:20AM ET	<b>Depart for office</b>
10:15AM ET – 10:45AM ET	<b>Meeting: Regulatory Improvement Council / Manufacturing Action Council</b> Location: Green Room Staff: Samantha Dravis, Brittany Bolen, Mandy Gunasekara, Nancy Beck, Sarah Greenwalt, Ryan Jackson, Tate Bennett, Jeff Sands
11:00AM ET – 12:00PM ET	<b>Briefing: West Lake ROD</b> Location: Alm Room Staff: Kell Kelly, Susan Bodine, Ryan Jackson, Tate Bennett, Nick Falvo, Veronica Darwin, Cathy Stepp, Silvina Fonseca, Jim Woolford, Barry Breen, Cyndy Mackey, Larry Starfield, Ed Chu, Mary Peterson
12:00PM ET – 12:15PM ET	<b>Meeting: Jim Gulliford, Region 7 Administrator</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Ryan Jackson
12:15PM ET	<b>Travel to Lunch</b>
12:30PM ET – 1:45PM ET	<b>Lunch with Ajit Pai, FCC Chairman</b> Location: WH Mess Staff: Samantha Dravis
1:45PM ET	<b>Travel to Office</b>
2:00PM ET – 2:30PM ET	<b>Interview: Ledge King, USA Today</b> Topic: EPA's Back-to-Basics Agenda, Pruitt's Priorities Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Liz Bowman, Jahan Wilcox
2:30PM ET – 3:00PM ET	<b>Weekly Discussion: Enforcement</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Susan Bodine, Patrick Traylor
3:00PM ET – 3:45PM ET	<b>Weekly Discussion: Restructuring</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Henry Darwin, Holly Greaves
3:45PM ET – 4:00PM ET	<b>Call: Congressman Darin LaHood (IL-18)</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Ryan Jackson, Troy Lyons, Aaron Ringel, Lee Forsgren
4:15PM ET – 4:45PM ET	<b>Briefing: Utah / Gold King Mine</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: David Fotouhi, Sarah Greenwalt, Byron Brown
4:45PM ET – 5:30PM ET	<b>Briefing: Lead</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Kell Kelly, Tate Bennett, Liz Bowman, Silvina Fonseca

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Wednesday, October 25, 2017

<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<b>Depart for Office</b>
8:00AM ET – 9:00AM ET	<b>Chief of Staff Meeting</b> Location: Alm Room
9:15AM ET – 9:30AM ET	<b>Pre-Brief: Bloomberg Interview</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Liz Bowman, Susan Bodine
9:30AM ET – 10:00AM ET	<b>Interview: Bloomberg</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Liz Bowman, Susan Bodine
10:00AM ET – 10:15AM ET	<b>Pre-Brief: Rosebud Mining Company</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Lee Forsgren, Henry Darwin
10:15AM ET – 10:45AM ET	<b>Meeting: Rosebud Mining Company</b> Location: Administrator's Office Topic: NPDES permitting, TMDLs, water regulations Staff: Lee Forsgren, Henry Darwin Attendees: Cliff Forrest, President & CEO Jim Barker, Executive VP Rob Higbee, VP of Engineering and Land John St. Clair, Manager of Permitting Matt Mazefsky, General Counsel Rachel Gleason, Executive Director of the Pennsylvania Coal Alliance Kevin Garber, Babst Calland
10:45AM ET – 11:30AM ET	<b>Briefing: Pesticides/ESA</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Erik Baptist, Nancy Beck, Jeff Sands, Tate Bennett, Mike Dourson
11:30AM ET – 12:00PM ET	<b>Weekly Discussion: Enforcement</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Susan Bodine, Patrick Traylor
12:00PM ET – 1:30PM ET	<b>HOLD: Lunch</b>
2:15PM ET – 3:00PM ET	<b>Briefing: Final RVOs – Production Analysis</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Mandy Gunasekara, Erik Baptist, Samantha Dravis, Brittany Bolen
3:00PM ET – 3:30PM ET	<b>Meeting: Inspector General</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Ryan Jackson
4:00PM ET – 4:30PM ET	<b>Meeting with Moroccan Ambassador</b> Location: Administrator's Office Staff: Lincoln Ferguson, Samantha Dravis, Jane Nishida Attendees: Lalla Joumala Alaoui

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Chicago, Illinois / Kiawah Island, South Carolina  
Staff: Lincoln, Tate, Ryan, Ken,  
Staff Advance: Millan

**Thursday, November 9, 2017**

(Kiawah Island, SC)  
Staff: Lincoln, Ryan, Tate, Ken  
Temperature: 59/ rainy

04:00AM	<b>Depart for Airport</b>
<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<div>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c) <b>CLT</b></div> <div><b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b></div> <div>Locator: <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b></div>
<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<div><b>CLT – CHS</b></div> <div><b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b></div> <div>Locator: <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b></div>
09:00AM – 09:45AM	<b>Depart for The Sanctuary (Kiawah Island Golf Resort)</b> Location: One Sanctuary Beach Dr. Kiawah Island, SC 29455 <i>33.2 miles</i>
10:00AM – 10:45AM	<b>ACC Board of Directors Meeting Roundtable</b> Attendees: 90 Location: Grand Ballroom
11:00AM – 11:45AM	<b>Depart for Airport</b> <i>33.2miles</i>
<b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b>	<div><b>CHS</b> <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b></div> <div><b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b></div> <div>Locator: <b>Exs. 6 &amp; 7(c)</b></div>
<b>Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy</b>	